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Glacia Calla, Famous Beauty, Brands Husband as Slayer

TWO HELD ON CHARGE OF BLACK HAND PLOT AGAINST RICH MAN

Italian Colony Terrorized by Appearance of Famous Society in Boston—Prominent Merchant Recieved Death Threat in Letters.

The shadow of the dreaded Black Hand rests over Boston and has struck terror to the hearts of wealthy Italian residents of this city.

Since it became known through arrests made by the police that the life of Benjamin Piscopo, a rich hotel proprietor at the North End, had been declared forfeited by the Black Hand unless he paid a ransom, other wealthy compatriots of his have asked, "Will my turn come next?"

Their wives and children shudder at the thought of husbands and fathers living in hourly danger of a stilletto thrust or the deadly bullet. There is terror at many a hearthstone because agents of this mysterious society have selected Boston as the field for blackmailing or murderous work.

THREAT OF KIDNAPPING.

Neither Mr. Piscopo nor members of his family will say a word. Their lips are sealed, it is believed, by police instructions. But in a letter the rich proprietor of the Hotel Piscopo received, not only was he threatened, but there was one ominous sentence which hints at kidnapping. It read:

"If you remember, you favored us when we stole your child."

In November last, after he had received menacing letters from the grim society which extorts money under threat of assassination, Piscopo was followed one night when going to his home in Winthrop by a man who acted suspiciously. The police do not know whether the stranger was on his trail to scare or harm him. But they took care to protect him, and so well was he guarded that the Black Hand made no attempt to execute dire threats. But about two weeks ago more letters came and eventually he gave them to the police.

LETTERS LED TO ARRESTS.

Chief Watts read them and laid a plan to capture the alleged black hand men who demanded $1,000 from Mr. Piscopo as the price of his safety. Chief Watts told the hotel man to reply to the last letter. He did so. From the letter that came in reply the detectives in Pemberton square obtained a clew which led them yesterday to arrest Concetto Rizzo and Antonio Marabito.

At No. 209A Bowdoin street, Dorchester, is a little fruit store. It is as innocent in appearance as any one of the hundreds of others of the same trade in town. But the police believe it is a black hand rendezvous.

The prisoners, Sicilians, and both under thirty years old, were arrested in the store last evening. Their store is represented as owned by Caffarella & Marbaitto, but the detectives think that Rizzo is the real proprietor. The men are accused of trying to extort money from Mr. Piscopo by threatening letters. They are accused of one of the gravest crimes on the statute books, one punishable by fifteen years imprisonment in State prison.

PRISONERS ARE SILENT.

When the detectives searched the fruit store they found paper similar to that upon which the letters sent to Mr. Piscopo were written. They found stamps which are said to be most significant evidence.

But the prisoners were stolid and silent. They would make no admissions. They declared they were innocent, and when facts which may be used against them as evidence were cited by police inquisitors, only shrugged their shoulders and smiled.

If they are Black Hand men they know they are backed by a rich and powerful organization with agents and headquarters all around the world. It is the same society whose agents are believed by New York police to have killed and cut to pieces in Brooklyn one night last week a man against whom the decree of vengeance had been pronounced.

After the raid and arrest Chief Watts said:

"In one letter sent Mr. Piscopo was inclosed an envelope on which was stamped 'Frederico Barlvndo & Company,' and below it in writing was the address, No. 209 A Bowdoin street. The rubber stamp we found, and also another used in part on the back of two letters which the threatened man received."

PLEAD NOT GUILTY.

In the Dorchester Police Court today Rizzo and Marabitto were arraigned, and both pleaded not guilty through their attorney, John R. McVey, the old Harvard baseball star. Marabitto was held in $5,000 and Rizzo in $2,500. The formal hearing will be Thursday morning at 10 o'clock in the same court before Judge Churchill.

In the absence of the Judge to-day, Clerk Frank Teale read the charge. They were charged with attempting to extort money and threatening to kill.

They were taken to Charles street jail by Inspectors Langalin and Wolfe.

Mr. Piscopo and family live in a beautiful home at No. 251 Centre street, Winthrop, and the rich hotel man was silent today when questioned about the conspiracy against him.

MRS. PISCOPO'S ANXIETY.

"Do not ask me to talk," he said. "I shall not say a word. My attorneys tell me to be silent. Go to the police; they know all."

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LOSS OF JOB DRIVES MAN TO DEATH THREAT

Discharged from the employ of the Boston Consolidated Gas Company, after forty-three years of service, Andrew P. Richson, 60 years of age, was today before Judge Burke in the Municipal Court charged with threatening to kill Foreman Frank M. Tarbox, who had dropped him from his payroll.

The aged man pleaded guilty. "It won't happen again," he told the court, whereupon Judge Burke freed him on probation, warning him not to make any more threats to kill people.

After his discharge Richardson seemed desperate and almost crazed. His sister telephoned Mr. Tarbox Saturday that he had left his home at No. 53 Worcester street armed with a gun and a huge wrench saying he was going to either kill Tarbox or hit him on the head with the wrench. The gas company's foreman then had him arrested.

NOTHING EQUALS FR. JOHN'S
Medicine for coughs, colds and grip.—Advt.

Husband Shot Brother, Charges Beauty; EXHUME CARKINS' BODY

"Gracia Calla's" Story Promptly Acted Upon by the New Hampshire Authorities.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Feb. 24.—While the body of George A. Carkins of Newington is being exhumed today, preparatory to an autopsy tomorrow to determine if Carkins was a suicide or was murdered, wide search is being made for Carkins' sister, Mrs. Paul L. Roy, better known as Glacia Calla, the famous beauty, and for her husband, whom she now accuses of having shot her brother and of having held her to secrecy for nearly two months under threat of death.

It has been learned that Carkins was in Boston during Christmas week, only a few days preceding his death here. He was bound from New York to this place. He stopped over in Boston and showed to various old friends there pawn tickets on New York loan offices to the amount of $1,400.

These pledges called for diamonds which Carkins said he had pawned in New York. He hinted that he was on his way here to ask his sister for money to secure the jewels.

This story is not at all unlikely, as it is well known here that Glacia Calla was fond of her brother and often supplied him with money. This indulgence of the famous beauty for her brother was not approved by her husband.

The more the investigation into the death of Carkins proceeds the more tangled appears to be the web of mystery that surrounds the tragedy, which took place on the night of January 2 in Glacia Calla's luxurious Summer home at Newington.

Trying to Track Both.

After coming back here last Wednesday and confessing to her counsel that her brother was shot by her husband, Mrs. Roy left here, ostensibly for New York. Now the police wish they had detained her.

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ANNOUNCEMENT TO THE WESTON CLUB MEMBERS

It has been found that Edward Payson Weston will be unable to walk in Boston next Saturday, February 29, as had been planned. Another walk will be arranged for later and the date and route announced in the BOSTON AMERICAN.

CALLS ON UNION MEN TO SUPPORT AMERICAN

RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED YESTERDAY BY BOSTON TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION.

Boston Typographical Union adopted unanimously yesterday the following resolutions:

Whereas, The action taken by this union at its January meeting in relation to the trouble existing between the Boston American and certain newsboys has been criticized in some quarters, and its position has been misrepresented and its motives placed in a false light, therefore, be it

Resolved, That Boston Typographical Union, in meeting assembled again wishes to go on record in the matter, and reiterates

First. That the BOSTON AMERICAN is a strictly union product in all departments and carries the label of the Allied Printing Trades.

Second. That the dispute between that paper and the newsboys is not a question of wages, hours and working conditions, but is a question between the wholesaler (the AMERICAN) and the retailer (the newsboys).

Third. That, therefore, it is not a matter with which trades unionism can interfere.

And, Be it further

Resolved, That we believe the producer of any strictly union article has the right to place his own price upon that article, and we view with alarm the possibilities that might arise from an attempt on the part of any organization to interfere with that right.

And be it further

Resolved, That we again call upon organized labor to patronize printing which bears the label of the Allied Printing Trades and urge the repudiation of an attempted boycott of a strictly union product by men whose action can result only in harm to the best interests of organized labor.

HOLD WOMAN ON PERJURY CHARGE

Mrs. Nannie F. Kelly of No. 129 West Concord street was today held in $1,000 bonds for the Grand Jury when arraigned on a charge of perjury, before Judge King in the Norfolk Superior Court at Dedham. Mrs. Kelly last week lost a suit against the city of Boston, in which she asked $4,000 damages for alleged injuries sustained in falling on a defective sidewalk. Her testimony in the suit led to her arrest.

SHAPLEIGH CASE PUT OVER TILL MAY

The cases of Dr. G. G. Tilley and Dr. John F. Lowery of Boston and Arthur L. Shapleigh of Beverly, whose wife died, it is alleged, from the effects of illegal treatment, was postponed till the May term when they were arraigned to-day in the Superior Court at Salem. Attorney Jesse Gove of Boston, counsel for the defence, asked a continuance [illegible] Thursday, but District Attorney Pe[illegible] stated that the case could not be finis[illegible] this term.

Woodbury, Accused of Slaying His Young Wife, Raves in Cell

STRONG DRUGS GIVEN PRISONER TO QUIET HIM—FEAR OF INSANITY.

FOXCROFT, Me., Feb. 24.—Guarded in his little cell in the Piscataquis County jail [illegible] from which Lambert, the famous Maine slayer was confined, Herbert Woodbury is today on the verge of collapse [illegible] buoyed up with the hope that [illegible] he is arraigned on the charge of having murdered his young and [illegible] wife he will be discharged.

The few days the [illegible] hotel owner has spent in jail are already telling on him, and his [illegible] in daily attendance, as well as his [illegible] and former wife, fear that if he is again returned to a cell that he will [illegible] live to face trial.

Quieted by Drugs.

The accused man's condition [illegible] serious and throughout [illegible] he cries out that he is innocent of [illegible] his wife. He is quieted in these spells by the use of powerful stimulants and drugs, which his physician says [illegible] certain death or insanity if [illegible].

While the accused is moaning in his cell and protesting his innocence, the body of his wife is at the undertaking establishment of [illegible] K. Hall in Dover, in custody of Deputy Sheriff [illegible], held to await the arrival [illegible] of Medical Examiner Magrath of Boston, who will make an examination in behalf of the accused man.

The funeral services were held yesterday in the little white Baptist Church in Milo, the [illegible] the wild forests, and the people from all the hill towns, valleys, mountains and [illegible] for miles around came to pay their last respects to the dead and to satisfy a morbid curiosity.

Sheriff Guards Body

They came in sleighs and bob sleds of all descriptions, and wrapped in great fur coats, caps and gloves, and some of them who even glided over the drifts of snow on the great snowshoes, presented a picture quite unusual to one not a resident of the country.

Relatives and friends assembled in the undertaking rooms on the main street, a block removed from the church. At the proper time the body was placed in the hearse, which moved slowly to the church, with the pall bearers, relatives and friends marching a solemn procession behind.

But strangest of all the features of this little funeral party was the presence of Deputy Sheriff W. G. Foss, who was constantly at the side of the casket. He stood beside it in the undertaking rooms, helped place it in the hearse, sat beside it in the church at the altar during the services and later rode back to Dover with it to the undertaker's rooms.

Dead Woman's Sister Collapses.

The little church was filled with relatives, friends and people from the entire country side. The casket, a beautiful white brocaded velvet affair, trimmed with heavy silver handles and ornaments was placed at the altar by pall bearers West Cookson, Lewis Ryder, Will Blethen and B. Kimball of Milo, all old schoolmates of the dead woman.

Sobbing as if her heart would break the poor old mother wept continually, and the two sons, Edward and Charles, were obliged to support her throughout the services.

Mrs. Pearl Lovejoy, the sister, who was present at the Foxcroft Exchange when the body of her sister was found, collapsed completely before the service was over. She was carried from the church unconscious and revived in the chill open air and taken to her home in a sleigh.

The officiating clergyman was Rev. A. Gertrude Earle, pastor of the First Universalist Church of Dover and formerly of Somerville.

Day of Excitement and Sorrow.

It was a day replete with excitement and sorrow for the good people of Piscataquis county, for it is the first time in the history of Foxcroft and Dover, the county seat, that even the suspicion of murder has rested upon a resident.

With a prominent and wealthy citizen, who was born and has always lived in the community, confined in the county jail charged with murder, with the funeral service for dead victim going on, with all the clergymen in the community preaching sermons which touched upon or at least reviewed memories, the awful revelations and suspicions of the week and with the last sensational act of the relatives of the victim which amounted to an open repudiation of the imprisoned husband, the simple, rugged, honest country folk were shocked to a degree which heretofore has been unknown in this peaceful, law-abiding community.

Prison Services Abandoned.

Another sensation of the day in Dover was the abandonment for the time being of the religious services in the jail where Woodbury is confined.

It was the turn of the Baptist church to hold services there, but the Rev. Frank Herbert Pratt announced to his congregation that it would no doubt be very embarrassing for "most of us" and very embarrassing for "our fellow townsman who is confined there" if the services were held.

The authorities are still seeking G. H. Barbour, the man who drove the accused from Bangor to Foxcroft, to tell them what Woodbury said on their midnight ride last November when the woman first disappeared.

DAUGHTER DEFENDS WOODBURY.

Miss Bessie Woodbury, who declares her father, Herbert Woodbury, innocent of charge of having slain his wife in little hotel at Foxcroft, Me.

LABOR NEWS

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Railroad Machinists No. 567 yesterday unanimously voted against the proposed bonus and piece work system in railroad machine shops which the New York, New Haven & Hartford road has announced will be inaugurated in the Readville and South Boston shops beginning March 10.

A convention of the Railroad Machinists' Lodges of the eastern section of the country will be held at Buffalo, April 6.

800 AT MASS MEETING.

The Boston organizing committee of the Hebrew Unions met yesterday in convention at Odd Fellows' Hall, North Russell street. In the evening a mass meeting of more than 800 was held at the same place at which plans was considered for thoroughly organizing Hebrew workers.

The following union labor organizations had delegates present: Garment Workers' No. 1, Paper Cigarette Makers' No. 120, Vest Makers' No. 172, Pants Makers' No. 173, Cloak and Skirt Makers' No. 13, Tin Workers' No. 372, Bakers' No. 45, Skirt and Cloak Pressmen No. 12, Cloth, Hat and Cap Makers' No. 7, Ladies' Tailors and Dressmakers' No. 36, and Custom Tailors' No. 12.

Organizer Benjamin Stern of the United Brotherhood of Tailors and Samuel Zorn were presiding officers, Simon Atlech secretary and Leo Treeter sergeant-at-arms. Various sub-committees were appointed and a vote passed that the general committee should meet each Friday night at 88 Charles street.

NOTES.

Musicians' Protective Assembly No. 1629, Knights of Labor, will hold their first ball in Paine Memorial Hall, Appleton street, tonight.

District Assembly No. 30, original, will meet quarterly in the future. The executive committee meets as usual on the second and fourth Thursday [illegible] of each month in room No. 32, [illegible] building.

Joseph E. Lyons, New England organizer, reports that he has organized a local of waiters in Brockton, with a charter list of thirty-two.

Coal Teamsters No. 68 will begin the discussion of the [illegible] scale and working rules at its meeting, March 8. An election of recording secretary will also be held to succeed Frank P. Fay, who has resigned from that office.

MEETINGS TO-NIGHT.

[illegible] and Label Committee of the Boston C. L. U., at No. 987 Washington street.

Executive Board of Electrical Workers No. 103 at No. 987 Washington street.

Joint Executive Board of Piano, Organ and Musical Instrument Workers, at No. 987 Washington street.

Carpenters No. 33, at No. 987 Washington street.

Bricklayers No. 3, at No. 789 Washington street.

Housesmiths and Bridgemen No. 7, in [illegible] No. 7, No. [illegible] Washington street.

Cap Cutters No. 38, at No. 724 Washington street.

Carpenters, Hebrew, No. 954, at No. 85 Green street.

Carpenters No. 959, in Bartlett Hall, Watertown.

Cloak and Suit Cutters No. 26, at No. 724 Washington street.

House and Ship Painters No. 402, in Carpenters' Hall, Decatur street, East Boston.

Maine Engineers No. 59 at No. 107 Border street, East Boston.

Stonecutters No. 22 at No. 18 Kneeland street.

Tin Workers No. 372 at No. 85 Green street.

Wharf and Bridge Carpenters No. 1366 at No. 30 Hanover street.

Paper Hangers No. 258 in Phoenix Hall, No. 724 Washington street.

Atlantic Coast Marine Firemen at No. 284 Commercial street.

Steam Engineers No. 12 in Engineers' Hall, No. 995 Washington street.

Brass Molders and Brass Core Makers No. 1 at No. 724 Washington street.

Chandelier Workers No. 6 at No. 724 Washington street.

Lumber Teamsters and Handlers No. 112 at No. 987 Washington street.

Marble Cutters and Setters No. 50 at No. 133 Blackstone street.

Stationary Firemen No. 3 at No. 987 Washington street.

Journeymen Tailors No. 12 at No. 9 Elm street.

Sign Writers No. 391 at Friendship Hall, No. 12 Kneeland street.

MAYOR HURLEY TO-DAY GREETS WESTON CLUB

Salem's Executive Welcomes Sturdy Young Walkers on Trip from Lynn.

WILL DELIVER ADDRESS

Boys of Lynn who want to walk with Edward Payson Weston should be on hand at 3:30 this afternoon at Lynn Common, City Hall square. Mr. Weston will start at that time, leading the paraders through the streets of Lynn to Town House square, Salem.

It is a five-mile walk, but on such a day as to-day can only benefit those who take part in it, according to the veteran pedestrian. Walking at the rate of about four miles an hour, the distance will be covered in about an hour and a half, allowing for brief rests.

The route is through Central avenue to Central square, Union street, Essex street, Upper Swampscott, Loring avenue, Lafayette avenue, Essex street, Salem, to Town House square.

Meet at Normal School.

In the latter place Mayor John F. Hurley delivers a short address to the boys who follow Mr. Weston the entire route.

The Mayor meets the walkers at the Normal school and walks with them as far as City Hall. There is also a reception to Mr. Weston to be tendered by members of the city government.

Mr. Weston looks for a good-sized crowd this afternoon because of the great interest that has been taken in the walks held in Boston by boys from the shoe city, many of whom journeyed to the Hub to participate in the tramps.

Brockton To-morrow.

To-morrow the walk is held in Brockton and on Wednesday in Worcester. Details will be announced in to-morrow's BOSTON AMERICAN.

President G. Stanley Hall of Clark University at Worcester, one of the best known educators in the state, consented to-day to meet the members of the E. P. Weston Walking Club in front of his home and to make a short address to them.

These walks will be the only ones that the pedestrian can take in these towns. His last walk outside of Boston will be conducted in his home town of Providence, R. I., on next Thursday afternoon and on Saturday he leads another walk in Boston.

BOSTON STOCKS.

Stock.	Noon Prices.
Amalgamated	49⅝
Am. Telephone	106¾
Greene Cananea	8¼
Utah	37⅛
Parrot	15
Wol. pr.	80
Bingham	1⅞
Butte Coal	18½
Old Dominion	35½
Range	60
Centennial	22
Allouez	28½
North Butte	47
Atlantic	11¾
Michigan	7½
Boston Cons.	15½
Arizona Cons.	18¾

HELD ON CHARGE OF BLACK HAND PLOT

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Mrs. Piscopo's face showed deep anxiety. "There should be more Italian policemen on the Boston force," she said, "to guard people against such dreadful men as have threatened our family. You cannot imagine what it is like to live from day to day with them plotting against your life. Think of the state of affairs! To be told that you cannot breathe a moment in safety unless you pay tribute to blackmailers. I have feared so for my children; I have not dared to let them stir out of the house."

One of the letters received by Mr. Piscopo tells him that if he does not yield $1,000 he will be murdered. It reads:

> Dear Friend—By sending you this letter we renew our acquaintances. If you remember, you favored us when we stole your child. Our company expects help from you, because we want to live, and this has got to be secret; not even your family is to know anything. So, if it leaks out, it is going to cause you ruin and death. If you do as we request we will let you alone and let you and your family live a happy life. We are going away from America and going elsewhere and we want $1,000. To save your life you have got to send the money or take the consequence of being killed by us.
>
> Therefore, think it over. If you value your life and do not want to die, send us what we ask. I will also state that a company of nine of us visited your hotel February 9 and inquired for you, but you were out. So let it all drop and do as we ask, because we are very strong and mean what we say.
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> (Bry-N A Sj Adols.)
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> Now the contract with you. The sum of money we ask of you, you are to send as directed on the envelope and the place being a store where we buy our fruit, therefore be secret and do as we want you to do, but if the money is no send to us by the 25th or 26th beware of yourself or you will die. Send us a simple letter with a special delivery stamp on it so we will know who it comes from. Do as we told you for your good and welfare.
>
> (Signed)
>
> ENRICO BARLYN, D & CO.

Say They'll Kill Children.

The police believe that Barlyndo and Mirabito are the same person. Chief Watts dictated a reply to the first letter and Mr. Piscopo received the following communication on Saturday:

> Dear Friend Piscopo—We received your letter and we are not satisfied. You are older than us, but you are not smart as us because we have done nothing else but being brigands and crooks. We are the biggest company in Europe. We trust no one. You have got to expect nothing but our madness, swearing upon the God above. Don't get mad if we give you a little disturbance, because we respect you as a gentleman of wealth, but you have got nothing to expect from us but death. Just like the ripe fruit from the tree that is bound to fall, so will you.
>
> You and your children in a few days will be killed and receive death contract, so if you want to live and your family to live you have still got time by sending us the money in a simple letter. Nothing else to say. I remain the secretary of the anarchists by order of our inspector.
>
> (Signed)
>
> FEDERICO BARLYNDO.
>
> I send you my best regards and remain a peacemaker.
>
> (Signed) "B. N. D."
>
> Either money or death—last notice and if you write send a plain letter so no one will suspect, because we think we are being watched.

$25 WASHINGTON TOURS
Via Pennsylvania Railroad.

Leave Boston February 28, March 13, 27, April 3, 24, May 8. A week's outing. All necessary expenses except supper returning. Stop-over returning at Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York. Consult Geo. M. Roberts, P. A. N. E. D., 1 Bromfield Street, Boston.—Advt.

AUTO RACERS BATTLE SNOW NEAR CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Feb. 24.—The Thomas, leading car of the New York to Paris race, started on the last lap of the New York to Chicago stretch of the long run early today from Michigan City, Ind., 56 miles away. Montague Roberts is driving, accompanied by C. A. Coey.

The big American car plunged into the snow roads leading out of Michigan City toward Chicago shortly after midnight and by daylight had gotten well on its way to Hobart, Ind.

The Americans, with good luck, expected to reach this city some time today. The Thomas car ran into Michigan City under its own power and was greeted by the Picard reception committee.

Meanwhile the Italian car Zust reached South Bend and passed out of here at daylight. The French car De Dion has passed Goshen.

Unlike the Thomas, the Zust did not take to the interurban trolley, but made the ten miles from Goshen to Elkhart over unbroken roads. This meant shoveling snow nearly half of the distance, and when the cars reached here the occupants were exhausted.

EXHUME BODY IN CARKINS TRAGEDY

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At the same time the authorities are trying to track Roy himself, who is said to have sailed for France.

The decision to exhume Carkins's body today comes after a conference between County Solicitor C. H. Batchelder, Sheriff M. M. Collis and Medical Referee W. H. Nute. The body will remain in charge of the County Solicitor. Tomorrow an autopsy will be performed in which Medical Referee Nute will be assisted by Drs. Heffenger and Towle of this city.

An important feature of the autopsy investigation will be the clothes worn by Carkins at the time he was shot. These garments have since been in the possession of Mrs. John Kelly of Newington, Carkins's mother.

Mrs. Roy told her lawyer Wednesday that two bullet holes in the back of Carkins's coat will show where her husband, Roy, fired two shots into Carkins's back as the latter fell face downward after Roy had fired one bullet into his forehead.

There is considerable speculation here why the authorities did not probe the matter more fully at the time Carkins died.

Roy gave out the suicide story. Carkins was known to have acted peculiarly at times. Once, in his own house, he drew a revolver and shot off the top of the sugar bowl. The suicide explanation passed. Carkins was buried and the Roys left here.

The murder story, told by Mrs. Roy to her lawyer, Colonel John H. Bartlett, last week, is highly sensational. According to her new story, Roy resented his wife's devotion to her brother and her habit of giving him money.

Carkins and the Roys were at the Roy home in Newington on January 2. Mrs. Roy was planning to attend an entertainment at Greenland, a neighboring town. Roy accused her of dressing too elaborately for this entertainment. She resented Roy's remarks. Carkins sided with his sister.

"I'm a Dead Man."

Then, so Mrs. Roy told her counsel, Roy pulled a gun and fired at Carkins. Mrs. Roy fled to the butler's pantry. Carkins stumbled toward the pantry and fell across the threshold gasping, "I'm a dead man, Peach," speaking his pet name for his sister.

Then Roy, so the story goes, shot Carkins twice in the back. He went upstairs to reload his revolver. Mrs. Roy ran to her mother's house. Roy followed her and at the point of a revolver, as she says, compelled her to return home with him and help him invent a suicide story.

Roy first planned, it is said, to declare that Carkins and he exchanged shots in a quarrel, making Roy's excuse that of self-defence. So, while Mrs. Roy was going to her mother's, Roy fired several shots around the room, making it look as though there had been almost a fusillade of firing. But Roy evidently turned to the suicide story as the easier way out.

Sheriff Collis is quoted as saying that he did see bullet holes in the wall, but that he thought Carkins had been firing at imaginary opponents, as though he was in a delirium.

Dazzling Career of the Beautiful Glacia Calla

Mrs. Paul L. [illegible]arkins), known in operatic circles as Mlle. Glacia Calla, has been noted as one of America's famous beauties. Born in Portsmouth N. H., she was educated in France under charge of the Baroness von Orendorf.

She has been courted by European nobility.

Men have been so infatuated with her that she has figured in two shooting affrays previous to this present one.

Lieutenant Fillet of the United States Marine Corps in Portsmouth a few years ago shot at, but missed, another admirer of whom he was jealous. The Lieutenant then disappeared.

Later, a Russian count, who followed her to Portsmouth, in blind jealousy of another man, shot at Mrs. Roy and the other man in a Portsmouth cafe, but hit no one.

In 1903 her portrait by the famous French artist Joubert, entitled "An American Beauty," caused a furore in Paris, and resulted in a betrothal between Glacia Calla and the Baron de Beynac.

This engagement was broken, and the famous beauty married Paul Roy, the man she now accuses of having shot her brother, George A. Carkins.

LIFE OF ROMANCE AND OF MYSTERY

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Feb. 24.—Mrs. Paul E. Roy was formerly Miss Lillian Carkins of Newington. Her mother has remarried and is now Mrs. John D. Kelley of that town. The girl left Newington village at the age of seventeen to be educated abroad under the patronage of the Baroness von Orendorf. She gave promise then of the wonderful beauty which was to make her one of the most sought for women in all America or Europe.

She came back here occasionally. Every time she was here she gathered about her a train of admirers. And the jealousy created among the latter by her bewildering charms led twice in this city to shooting affairs.

Some years ago a Lieutenant Fillet of the United States Marine Corps, who was infatuated with her, became so enraged at seeing her escorted by another man that he followed them toward Newington and, at a lonely point, fired a shot at his rival. The lieutenant missed him, then left this city, and has not been heard of since in Portsmouth.

Count Madly Jealous.

A few years later, while on a visit here, the young woman was shot at in a local restaurant by a frenzied Russian count, who became madly jealous on seeing her with another man. The Russian blazed away at her, her escort and other people, but was so excited he hit no one. The matter was hushed up.

Miss Carkins studied for the operatic stage, though she made only few appearances. She took the name of Glacia Calla.

In the Paris salon of 1903 the famous Parisian painter Joubert exhibited a portrait entitled "An American Beauty." It was a splendid likeness of Glacia Calla. Paris went wild over the portrait, with true Gallic enthusiasm over a fascinating woman.

The picture attracted Count de Peynac, reported to be wealthy as well as of genuine title. The Count secured an introduction and made ardent love. He followed Glacia Calla and the Baroness von Orendorf to New York and back to Paris. Then an engagement was announced.

Glacia Calla and the Baroness returned to America later in 1903. They were entertained at Newport, Saratoga and other watering places. She went to Newington, where she had built a handsome house for a Summer home.

Then she went back abroad. It was reported she had wedded the Count de Peynac. Then this was denied. At any rate, Glacia Calla dropped out of sight for the next three or four years.

Married a Chauffeur.

A year ago she came to America and went to Palm Beach, Fla., where she was a centre of admiration.

There she met Paul E. Roy, a professional chauffeur attending the automobile races. Roy is the son of a noted Parisian horse owner. He is commonly reported to be a man of violent temper. He is said to have been in the habit of brutally lashing horses in Paris when exhibiting them for his father.

The reports of his courtship of Glacia Calla accord with the descriptions of his temper. He is said to have pointed a revolver at her and threatened to blow her brains out if she did not wed him.

At any rate, Roy secured the famous beauty for his bride. Since their marriage they spent much time at Newington.

Glacia Calla was always fond of her brother, George A. Carkins. She presented him in society, where he was known as George Alexander Calla. There come queer reports from Paris to the effect that Carkins became a pugilist abroad, but that is not confirmed.

Carkins returned his sister's affection and referred to her fondly as "Peach." According to Mrs. Roy, that old pet name was the last word Carkins uttered on the night of the tragedy when he fell dying at her feet and gasped: "I'm a dead man, 'Peach.'"

It is in the effort to unravel the mystery surrounding the death of his brother that the famous beauty comes into the limelight again.

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PRIEST SLAIN AT THE ALTAR BY ANARCHIST

The Slayer Said to Have Gone to Denver, Col., From Wakefield, Mass.

"GRUDGE AGAINST ALL"

DENVER, Col., Feb. 24.—Father Leo Heinrichs was shot and killed yesterday by Alio Giusseppe, an avowed Anarchist and priest-hater, who is said to have come here from Wakefield, Mass. The tragedy occurred while the priest was administering the sacrament at early mass in St. Elizabeth's Roman Catholic Church, Eleventh and Curtis streets.

Kneeling at the altar rail between two women, Guisseppe pressed the muzzle of the revolver against the body of the priest, after receiving from him the consecrated wafer, and shot the priest through the heart, Exclaiming: "My God! my God!" Father Leo fell prone in front of the altar and died.

With an inarticulate scream the assassin sprang into the aisle, and, waving the pistol about his head, dashed to the church door. For a moment the hundred or more persons in the church were dazed. Then a woman shrieked and the congregation became panic-stricken. Several women fainted and many others became hysterical.

Pursue the Slayer.

Several men, including Patrolman Daniel Cronin, started in pursuit of the murderer.

Policeman Cronin overtook him on the church steps. Guiseppe attempted to shoot the policeman, but was foiled and overpowered after a desperate struggle in which several men assisted the officer.

The murderer was hurriedly removed to the city jail. As threats of summary vengeance were made by men who quickly gathered in front of the church, Chief of Police Michael Delaney called out the reserve force of patrolmen, who were kept on guard all day and tonight.

Before the commotion caused by the tragedy subsided the Franciscan Brothers, connected with the church, silently brought candles for the dead and placed them beside the body of their superior where he lay.

By direction of Bishop Matz, the church was closed for the day and the following notice was posted:

> Owing to the frightful tragedy enacted in this church by an unknown criminal, the wanton killing of our beloved pastor, superior and friend, Father Leo, all services will be discontinued for the day. Kindly, reader, breathe silent prayer for the repose of the soul of our beloved friend.
>
> FATHER EUSEBIUS.

Deputy Coroner Daniel Pach took charge of Father Leo's body, which was removed to the city morgue.

Bullet Went Through Heart.

A single bullet hole in the white communion robes of the priest showed that the lead had gone straight to the heart. The bullets remaining in Giusseppe's revolver had sharpened points.

Giusseppe was placed in solitary confinement. He admitted to a policeman that the priest whom he had killed was a stranger to him, and said that he "had a general grudge against priests."

PRIESTS URGE VOTERS TO WAR ON LIQUOR EVIL

Clinton Clergyman Declares Saloon Responsible for Corrupt Politics in City.

CLINTON, Feb. 24.—The fight being waged against the saloons by the St. John's T. A. and M. B. Society has been taken up by the Catholic clergy, and last night at a no-license rally in A. O. H. Hall Rev. Father O'Keefe, rector of the parish, declared that all the political corruption in the city could be traced to the liquor evil.

"There must be some real effort made to correct this evil," he said. "Prevent the Sunday selling and put a stop to the sales to minors and men known to be drunkards.

"I have tried to stop the peddling of liquor and to prevent the sight of rival dealers, men doing business from teams in the streets, putting liquor into places where they knew it would work the greatest evil.

"It has been no use to try and improve the saloons, and if the saloon keepers have a bad name I would say they have themselves to blame. If they put forth one half the effort to remedy the existing evils that they do to protect themselves then much of the vileness of the saloons would be abolished."

Among the other speakers were Rev. John T. Mullen of St. Michael's parish, of Hudson, formerly of the Cathedral, Boston, and President William Noonan of the society.

Rev. Father Mullen declared the ousting of the saloon was a work for morality and that the Catholic church obligations required a consistent member to vote for no-license.

Disclaiming any knowledge as to the condition of affairs in Clinton, he said that every Catholic voter should see to it not only that the saloon is banished, but that the laws are enforced, and that they should vote for those candidates only whom they know will see that the liquor law is lived up to in the community.

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The only baking powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar.

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FELL DOWN STAIRS AND WAS KILLED

Timothy J. O'Brien, of No. 157 Leverett street, went to his former home in Lowell street yesterday. The stairway had been changed somewhat and, while feeling for the rail near the top he lost his balance and fell to the bottom. He died at the Relief Hospital.

GENERAL SAXTON DEAD.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—Brigadier General Rufus Saxton, U. S. A., retired, dropped dead here yesterday of heart disease. He entered the army from Massachusetts in 1855 as a first lieutenant and was retired April 23, 1888.

ROOSEVELT TO HIT BACK AT RAILROADS

President Roosevelt is preparing a special message to Congress in answer to the charge that his attitude toward the railroads of the country had made reductions in wages necessary.

SOUTH END IMPROVEMENT.

Elaborate plans for beautifying Boston, especially the South End, will be explained to the South End Improvement Society tonight by A. A. Shurtleff of the Boston Society of Architects at the Girls' High School on West Newton street. The speaker will illustrate the proposed work by stereopticon views. John H. Colby will preside.

SCHOONER DAMAGED IN CRASH WITH TUG

While the fishing schooner [illegible], Captain Edward Forbes, was being towed up Boston Harbor today [illegible], Irving Ross, the Bray[illegible] Dredging Company's tug Annie collided with her, doing damage estimated at $250 to the sailing vessel's port bow.

BRITISH STEAMER WRECKED.

TURK'S ISLAND, Feb. 24.—The British steamer Beta, Captain [illegible], from Halifax February 14 for Bermuda, Turk's Island and Kingston, is a total wreck off here. The crew and passengers were rescued and part of the cargo will probably be saved. The steamer was of 677 tons.

TOTAL ABSTINENCE SOCIETY BALL PLANS

The members of St. Patrick's Total Abstinence and Literary Society of Roxbury will meet in the rooms at No. 131 Dudley street, tonight, to make arrangements for the annual ball to be held in Intercolonial Hall, Dudley street, opposite Greenville street, Monday evening, March 2.

BRYAN IN KANSAS.

TOPEKA, Feb. 24.—William J. Bryan addressed an audience of [illegible] yesterday at the Auditorium. Mr. Bryan spoke for two hours to 4,500 persons. He was introduced by Governor Hoch.

TEN PANIC VICTIMS IN PERSIAN CAPITAL

TEHERAN, Feb. 24.—Ten persons were killed and a score or more wounded, including several ecclesiastics, as a result of a panic in the main streets here during the passage of a religious procession celebrating the Mohammedan Moharrum, a religious festival held during the first month of the Mohammedan year.

WU DUE IN FRISCO

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 24.—Wu Ting Fang, the Chinese Ambassador to the United States, is expected to arrive here during the week.

FRIGHTFUL TRIP FOR HAMBURG FREIGHTER

When the belated Hamburg American line freighter Arcadia came into this port today, Captain Schaarschmidt and crew had a story to tell of a frightful voyage. The stout ship was three days overdue from Hamburg and fought gales all the way across the Atlantic Ocean. At times great seas swept the decks fore and aft till the storm grew so fierce that the skipper had to heave the ship to and use oil at her bows to calm the mountainous rollers that were continuously breaking over her. It was practically a continuous gale.

Gilchrist's Month-end Sale

ONCE A MONTH we conduct this sale to close out all small lots, all odd assortments of merchandise and every group of seasonable goods in which the selection is in any way incomplete. Every price is so much less than regular that you will easily grasp the significance of the bargain fully. That your money will go farther than ever before is easily proved by the interesting news that follows.

Legal Stamps Given in All Departments. **Mail Orders Promptly Filled.**

Basement Bargains

Printed Percales (mill remnants), one yard wide, large variety of patterns; value 12½c per yard. Month End Price	7c
Fine Eden Flannels, handsome scotch flannel effects, for ladies' and children's wear; value 15c per yard. Month End Price	10c
Stripe and Dotted White Swiss Muslin; value per yard 19c. Month End Price	12½c
Bleached Cotton Huck, with tape border, for rollers and hand towels; value 10c. Month End Price	8c
White Fringed Crochet Bedspreads, ready for use; value $1.25. Month End Price	1.00
Fine Heavy Bleached Cotton, 1 yard wide (mill short lengths), value per yard 15c. Month End Price	10c
Twilled Nightgown Cotton, 1 yard wide; value 14c per yard	10c
Bleached Sheets, 2¼x2½, made from full width standard sheeting; value, each, 89c. Month End Price	75c
White Mercerized Waistings, short lengths, from 5 to 15 yards; value 25c. Month End Price	15c
Cotton Diaper, best quality, 10-yard length, in sealed packages:	
65c package, 18 inches wide	49c
75c package, 20 inches wide	59c
85c package, 22 inches wide	69c

No mail or express orders filled.

Women's Neckwear

Tourist Ruching, 6 yards in box value 25c. Month End Price	12½c
Silk Embroidered Stocks, in all colors, jabots, lawn and lace trimmed, tailor made neckwear, bows in silk and muslin, etc., value 25c. Month End Price	12½c

Veiling

Mesh Veilings, black and a good assortment of colors, plain mesh and spotted effects, value 25c. Month End Price	10c

Women's Shoes

Ladies' Rubber Heel Juliettes, value $1.50. Month End Price	1.19
Ladies' Fancy Slippers, value $1.50 to $2.00. Month End Price	89c
Ladies' Colored Overgaiters, value $1.00. Month End Price	49c
Ladies' Tan Russia Lace Boots, Blucher cut, value $3.00. Month End Price	2.39
Children's Shoes and Slippers (odd pairs), worth $1.50 pair. Month End Price	69c

Women's Underwear

Women's Union Suits, high neck, short and long sleeves, pure white, medium weight, small sizes only, value 50c. Month End Price	25c
Women's Vests, cotton, mercerized and part wool, pants and tights, odd lots, various styles, to close, value 50c, 75c and $1.00. Month End Price	29c
Women's Union Suits, spring weight, long sleeves, ankle length, silk trimmed, slight mill seconds of our $1.00 quality. Month End Price	48c
Boys' and Girls' Underwear, jersey fitting, ecru and cream color, broken lots and sizes, all perfect goods, value 50c each. Month End Price	19c

Women's Gloves

Kid Gloves (odd lot), mussed or left over from our great sale, 2-clasp kid gloves, in black and colors, value 79c to $1.00. Month End Price	59c
Ladies' Colored Cashmere Gloves, silk lined and plain, also misses' and ladies' golf gloves, value 25c to 50c. Month End Price	12½c

Second Week of Our Great

Sale of Embroideries

Nainsook Skirt Flouncings and Corset Covers, 17-inch, worth 29c and 35c yard. *Sale Price*	19c
Nainsook and Swiss Edges and Insertions, worth 15c and 20c yard. *Sale Price*	10c
Nainsook and Swiss Edges and Insertions, worth 20c and 25c yard. *Sale Price*	12½c
Nainsook and Swiss Edges, Insertions and Flouncings, worth 25c and 30c yard. *Sale Price*	15c
Nainsook and Swiss Edges, Insertions and Flouncings, worth 25c and 38c yard. *Sale Price*	19c
Extra Fine Hand Machine Made Flouncings, and Waist Bands, worth 50c and 69c yard. *Sale Price*	25c
Extra Fine Embroidered Deep Dress Flounces, worth 50c and 69c yard. *Sale Price*	37½c
A Few Handsome Wide Flounces for Baby Dresses, worth 75c and $1.00 yard. *Sale Price*	50c and 75c
Swiss Flouncings, 27-inch, a large assortment of dainty patterns for babies' and children's dresses, worth $1.00, $1.25 and $1.60 yard. *Sale Price*	49c, 59c, 69c, 75c
Swiss Allovers, for shirt waists, worth $1.00 and $1.50 yard. *Sale Price*	69c and 75c

Men's Furnishings

Men's Night Robes, cut popular V necks, made from high grade, pure white sateen, fancy trimmed, value $1.50. Month End Price	1.10
Men's Pajamas, perfectly tailored, custom made goods, finished with large pearl buttons, sizes absolutely correct. Lot No. 1, value $1.50. Month End Price	89c
Lot No. 2, value $2.00. Month End Price	1.10
Men's Negligee Shirts, madras and cheviots, attached and detached cuffs, all well known reliable makes that sell everywhere at $1.00 and $1.25 each. Month End Price	65c
Men's Undershirts, heavy weight, plain and ribbed, all perfect goods, broken sizes, value 50c. Month End Price	29c
Men's All-Silk Neckwear, fashionable four-in-hands, various widths, large assortment of popular colorings, value 50c. Month End Price	25c

We Include in this Great Month End Event Our

Annual Sale of Ribbons

Offering the Season's Newest Goods Decidedly Less than Regular Prices

Hair Bow Taffeta Ribbon, 6 inches wide, extra heavy, in white, pink, blue, cardinal, navy, copenhagen, brown, etc. Value 35c. Month End Price	19c
Satin Taffeta Ribbon, 3½ inches wide, in a complete line of colors, also white and black. Value 19c. Month End Price	12½c
All Silk Taffeta Ribbon (No. 9), 1½ inches wide, in pink, blue, cardinal and cream. Value 10c. Month End Price	5c
Faille Taffeta Ribbon, 5 inches wide, in white, pink, blue and all the new colors, value 25c, yard. Month End Price	17c
Dresden Ribbons, 3½ inches wide, floral designs on white ground, pink, blue, lavender, satin edge. Value 25c. Month End Price	15c
Moire Belting, white, pink blue, navy, cardinal, brown, lilac and black. Value 39c. Month End Price	19c
Dresden Ribbons, 4 inches wide, a lot of entirely new designs on fine quality taffeta ribbon, colors red, blue, maize, lavender, etc. Value 35c. Month End Price	19c
High Lustre Taffeta Ribbon, 4½ inches wide, in all the new millinery colors, including leather shades, copenhagen blue, new greens, etc. Value 25c. Month End Price	15c
All Silk Plain Taffeta Ribbon, in white, pink, blue, etc., four and five inches wide. Value 19c. Month End Price	12½c
Black Taffeta Ribbons, pure silk, extra heavy 5 inches wide. Value 25c. Month End Price	13c
4 inches wide. Value 19c. Month End Price	11c
3½ inches wide. Value 15c. Month End Price	9c

Upholstery Specials

Heavy Couch Covers, oriental effects; value $3.75 each. Month End Price	2.97
Irish Point Lace Curtains; value $6.00. Month End Price, per pair	2.97
Muslin Curtains, various arrangement of tucks, with full hemstitched ruffle; value $1.00 per pair. Month End Price	69c
Silk and Satin Portieres (manufacturers' odd lots of from 1 to 3 pairs), that are sold regularly at $20.00 and $25.00 a pair. Month End Price	13.98
Axminster Rugs, 27-inch; value $3.50. Month End Price	1.69
Carpet Rugs, 27-inch; value $1.25. Month End Price	87c

Women's Apparel

Women's Black Cheviot Cloth Coats, 29 and 52 inches long, lined throughout, semi-fitting, velvet collar and self cuffs, just the coat for now and future wear, sizes 32 to 44. Regular Price $10.00. Month End Price	3.98
Women's Suits, semi-fitting and Prince Chap styles, in blue, black, brown and purple, coat lined with guaranteed satin, skirts plaited effects. Regular Price $25.00. Month End Price	12.50
Women's Black Dress Coats, in broadcloth, cheviots and light weight kerseys, all sizes, made in this season's best styles in semi, box and tight fitting effects, lined with good quality satin, velvet collar and cuffs. Value $20.00 to $22.50. Month End Price	9.49
Women's Black Voile Skirts, lined with good quality taffeta, drop with dust ruffle (small lot). Value $10.00. Month End Price	5.00
Brown Coney Sets—Large pillow muff and long throw scarf, lined with good quality satin. Value $5.00. Month End Price	2.98
Black and Colored Silk Waists—Japanese taffeta and fancy silks, in all sizes. Value $5.00. Month End Price	2.50
Fleece Lined and Percale Wrappers—All sizes, in black and white, blue, white and gray, trimmed with braid. Value 98c. Month End Price	69c

Children's Wear

Children's Draw Leggins, in black and white, fine quality, sizes 2 to 4; sold all this season at 75c and 89c. Month End Price	35c
Infants' Short White Dresses, in bishop and yoke styles, of good quality cotton, sizes 6 months to 2 years; value 29c. Month End Price	17c
Children's Cotton Drawers, good quality cotton, in sizes 1 to 4 years, value up to 21c. Month End Price	12½c

Hats and Flowers

Regular Price 1.25	**Black Satin Hats,** in the very latest up-to-date shapes, including the Merry Widow, etc., etc.	Choice 60c
Regular Price 49c to 98c	**Importers' Sample Flowers**—(Lot 2), consisting of cherries, grasses, poppies, foliage, June roses, American beauties, etc.	Choice 15c

New Petticoats

Black Feathersilk Petticoats, with 18-inch flounce, trimmed with tucks and straps and 10-inch dust ruffle, made extra full, equal to any $1.98 Heatherbloom Petticoat. Month End Price	87c
White Muslin Petticoats, Hamburg, lace and plain muslin, six different styles, new, clean, up-to-date goods, very latest designs, in eyelet and venise embroidery, torchon and cluny lace (300 in lot). Value $2.00. Month End Price	98c

New Laces

Filet Net, 40 inch, the season's newest patterns, in white and ecru, value $1.00. Month End Price	79c
Oriental Allovers, 42 inch, white and butter, dainty effects, in several different patterns, value 89c and $1.00. Month End Price	69c
Venise Bandings—From 1½ to 2 inches wide, in white and butter, value 15c to 20c. Month End Price	9c

Lawn Waists

White Lawn Madras and Linene Waists, broken lots, odd sizes, some slightly soiled. Regular prices $1.00 to $2.00. Month End Price	79c
White Lawn Waists, of good quality lawn, yoke trimmed front and back with combination embroidery and Val. insertion collar and cuffs, tucked and trimmed with lace, open back, ¾ sleeve, value $1.75. Month End Price	1.19

Women's Hosiery

Women's Imported Lisle Thread Hosiery, lace ankles and all-over patterns; also silk embroidered insteps; blacks, tans, pearl and white; value 50c. Month End Price	25c
Women's Hosiery, lace all-over, lisle thread fast blacks, perfect goods, all sizes; value 25c per pair. Month End Price.	1
Women's Worsted Hosiery, plain and rib perfectly fast blacks, elastic and soft texture. Month End Price	
Women's Imported Hosiery, lisle and ized, lace and silk embroidered, ex high-grade quality; value 75c pair. Month End Price	

3 Pairs for $1.00.

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LYNN AND SALEM YOUTH WALK WITH E. P. WESTON FROM LYNN COMMON TODAY

Five-Mile Jog to Town House Square, Salem—Roads Are Good—This Is the First of a Series of Four Walks in Cities Outside of Boston.

BY EDWARD PAYSON WESTON

This afternoon the boys of Lynn and Salem and other towns walk with me from Lynn Common to Town House square, Salem, a distance of about five miles.

It is a good walk. Having been over part of the route during my recent walk from Portland to Chicago, I know that we shall probably find the roads in good condition, barring storms, and that we shall be able to set a lively pace.

It is the first of a series of four walks which are to be given in cities outside of Boston, where the walks have been the most successful of my career and attended by the bravest, manliest crowd of young gentlemen that I have ever met or ever expect to meet.

Schools Likely to Close in Time.

Some of the boys from Lynn and Salem have probably walked with me before, and those who have I want to see in line to-day when the order to march is given at 3:30. I understand that there is a prospect that the schools will close at an early hour so that the boys can get to Lynn Common in ample time to fall in line.

Maybe it will seem to you like a long walk at the first try, but before the first two miles are travelled you will be moving along so naturally that you will forget all about distance and will be intent only on how to carry yourselves, so that you will arrive at the end of the route without feeling in any way fatigued.

The walk will do you boys good. You will feel better at the end of it. You will hear Mayor [illegible] of Salem talk to you and tell you what he thinks of the walking idea. You will be reviewed by that capable city official, Mayor [illegible] of Lynn, at the start. It is for us to show him what a fine representative body of young men follow in these walks.

I would suggest that, if possible, when you arrive at Lynn Common this afternoon you arrange yourselves so far as possible by schools, so that you may walk together in a compact, orderly body. In this way we shall be able to move through the crowded sections of the city more easily. Form in files of five abreast and keep a distance of about four feet between each file. Then I will be able to give you all personal attention.

Wear Stout Shoes and Warm Clothes.

As at this season of the year it is apt to come up stormy at any time, I want you all to wear stout shoes and warm clothing. One thing I feel very thankful about is the fact that although two of the walks in Boston were held under weather conditions that made me apprehensive for the time being for the health of some of my young followers, I have yet to hear that one of them suffered the slightest ill effects. On the contrary, I have heard from a number who said that they had followed my advice and felt perfectly comfortable after they had taken care of themselves at home.

Your feet need attention first, because they are liable to become damp and chilled. When you reach home remove your shoes and stockings and bathe your feet in either cold or tepid water for about three or four minutes. Then rub them dry with a coarse towel until each toe is pink. Pay particular attention to the flesh between the toes.

[illegible] use a quantity of half diluted alcohol and splash the feet with it, letting the alcohol dry in. Then put on stockings and shoes that are perfectly dry and you will not catch cold.

In Three Other Cities This Week.

To-morrow we walk in Brockton, and in that city I have heard that there is already considerable enthusiasm for the walk. The same thing that I say to the boys of Lynn applies to the Brockton lads who want to walk. We are in Worcester on Wednesday and on Thursday a walk is held in my home city, Providence, R. I. A number of lads have already enrolled themselves as members of the E. P. Weston Walking Club.

I shall be on hand this afternoon on Lynn Common before 3:30, ready to take charge of the boys who assemble there. I do not believe that I shall be disappointed in the numbers who turn out.

Along the line as we move toward Town House square I expect to receive additions to our line.

I am anxious to see whether the boys of Lynn are made of the same sturdy material as are the Boston lads, and I believe they are.

In fact, I have found most Massachusetts boys are much alike in the fact that they are intelligent, quick and courageous, sticking to a thing when once they take it up and carrying it through to a glorious finish.

Join Weston's Walking Club

Fill in the blank below with your name and address, paste it on a postcard (don't put it in an envelope) and mail it to E. P. Weston, No. 80 Summer street. It will give you free membership in the Edward P. Weston Walking Club. The next walk in Boston will be held on Saturday, Feb. 29.

The walk in Lynn is held today, Monday, February 24; in Brockton, Tuesday, February 25; Worcester, Wednesday, February 26, and in Providence, R. I., Thursday, February 27.

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HUB WATER BAD, SAYS EXPERT

If the opinion of George Whitney, a recognized New York expert, concerning Boston water is [illegible], that old time [illegible] about the man who would never drink water for fear of rusting his iron constitution comes pretty near being a reality.

"Boston water," says Mr. Whitney, "makes a more dangerous foe to the pipe than electrolysis, [illegible] discovery of effective means [illegible] and coating them with a [illegible] [illegible] was the most formidable [illegible] [illegible] ever found water that [illegible] its way into cast iron."

[illegible] "Nonsense," said [illegible] of the Metropolitan [illegible] when shown Mr. Whitney's statement. "We have yet [illegible] quality in the water, [illegible] been famous for its pur[illegible]

[illegible] soft and contains [illegible] course of time cause [illegible] in the pipes. This [illegible] somewhat, but not to [illegible] and by no stretch of [illegible] be said that the [illegible]

[illegible] which is very [illegible] words, contains a [illegible] would be mighty [illegible] The annual sav[illegible] to boiler tubes [illegible] soft character [illegible] a surprising [illegible] of accurately [illegible] out by Chief [illegible] State Board [illegible] utter harm[illegible] Metropoli[illegible] otherwise.

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PROGRAMME OF E. P. WESTON IN FIVE CITIES

Edward Payson Weston will conduct walks in five cities this week. The programme:

TO-DAY—LYNN AND SALEM.

START—Lynn Common, 3:30 p. m.
FINISH—Town House square, Salem.
SPEAKER—Mayor [illegible] of Salem.

TUESDAY—BROCKTON.

START—[illegible], 3:30 p. m.
Details to be announced.

WEDNESDAY—WORCESTER.

START—[illegible], 3:30 p. m.
FINISH—The Common.
SPEAKER—President G. Stanley Hall of Clark University.

THURSDAY—PROVIDENCE.

START—Dorr Monument, [illegible] Street.
FINISH—Roger Williams Park.
SPEAKER—Mayor Patrick J. McCarthy of Providence.

FISH QUITS FIGHT AGAINST E. H. HARRIMAN

"The history of many of the great corporations of the country shows that the minority stockholder has thus far permitted the wizards of high finance to rob him with impunity and ease, to suppress competition and to establish a monopoly by the very means which Judge Ball says are legal in Illinois."—STUYVESANT FISH.

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—Stuyvesant Fish has given up his fight against E. H. Harriman for the control of the Illinois Central. He announced to-day that the suit in Judge Ball's court in Chicago to prevent the voting of Illinois Central stock held by Harriman corporations is to be dismissed.

Mr. Fish asserts that he submits to, but doesn't acquiesce in, the ruling of Judge Ball dismissing the injunction against the voting of the Harriman-controlled shares. He adds a few remarks as to his belief that the continued control of the railroad by Harriman will yield no good to its stockholders or to the State of Illinois. In regard to the ruling of Judge Ball, Mr. Fish makes the remark quoted above.

WAGON WASHER, $50,000 HEIR, TO BUY LIVERY

Edward J. Allen, a carriage washer at the Olympia stables in Oxford street, Lynn, paused at his work, mopped the perspiration from his brow and grinned yesterday when asked what use he intended to make of a fortune of upward of $50,000 which he expects to receive shortly from the estate of an uncle, Ensign Allen, a wealthy bachelor who died February 14 at Saratoga, N. Y.

"It's a bad wind that don't blow somebody good, ain't it?" Allen exclaimed, his grin broadening and his chest expanding. "What will I do with it? Huh! That's easy. First I'll buy a livery stable of my own. I've washed carriages a good share of my life and I'm tired of it. When I get that money I'll let somebody wash carriages for me. That will be fair, eh? I'll take life easy."

Allen is thirty-eight years old and single. He has always worked hard for a living and saw nothing but hard work ahead, until one day recently he received a letter from Saratoga lawyers advising him of his uncle's death and saying the fortune was to be divided between a half dozen nephews and nieces, the nearest surviving relatives, of whom Allen was one.

At first Allen was skeptical. Subsequent letters, however, which told all about the Allen family history, changed his opinion about the fortune, and he set to work to get his share of it. The elder Allen died intestate. He was seventy-eight years old. The younger Allen always knew his uncle was wealthy, but he says he never dreamed about getting any of his money.

"I guess everything is all right, and I think I'll get quite a bundle of money," said Edward. "Then I'll enjoy myself."

THREE RAILROADS WITHDRAW CUTDOWN

CHICAGO, Feb. 24.—Three railroads entering Minneapolis that had given the freight handlers notice that a reduction in wages would be made to-day have withdrawn the order. The roads are the Chicago Great Western, "Soo" line and the Minneapolis & St. Louis.

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ASSETS.		
Ledger Assets January 1st, 1906	$481,710.37	
Income for year of 1907	566,433.72	
Grand total	$1,048,144.09	
Disbursements for 1907, including death claims	440,832.84	
Ledger Assets, December 31, 1907	$607,311.25	
General Assets, Non-Ledger, net	51,391.41	
TOTAL ASSETS, December 31, 1907		$658,702.66
LIABILITIES.		
General Liabilities other than Reserve	$42,921.30	
Net Reserve as computed by Mass. Ins. Dept.	578,801.00	
Unassigned funds reserved (Surplus)	36,980.36	
TOTAL LIABILITIES, December 31, 1907		$658,702.66
Insurance in force December 31, 1907	$14,083,223	
Increase during 1907	2,129,413	

THE HISTORY OF EIGHT YEARS BRIEFLY TOLD.

ASSETS.	
December 31, 1899	$79,306.97
December 31, 1907	658,702.66
LIABILITIES.	
(Company almost entirely of reserve funds for the protection of policyholders.)	
December 31, 1899, including surplus	$79,306.97
December 31, 1907, including surplus	658,702.66
INCOME.	
Year ending December 31, 1899	$63,350.55
December 31, 1907	566,433.72
OUTSTANDING INSURANCE.	
December 31, 1899	$2,838,800
December 31, 1907	14,083,223

Eames and Caruso Go to Hammerstein

MME. EAMES.
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NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—The beautiful face and handsome form of Mme. Emma Eames, generally regarded as one of the greatest living dramatic sopranos, may be seen on the stage of the Manhattan Opera House next season.

The AMERICAN has absolutely trustworthy information that negotiations to that end are now in progress. It is now only a question of terms.

Mme. Eames is not attached to the Metropolitan by any written contract. She has been singing under a verbal agreement with Herr Conried.

Moreover, Caruso indicated to friends at luncheon yesterday that he would leave the Metropolitan Opera House next season and go to Hammerstein.

The loss of Eames—one of the world's greatest prima donnas—and of Caruso to the Metropolitan will be a very appreciable one and will in the same degree be a triumph for the Manhattan company.

WESTON 'PED' WINS A WAGER

P. J. Jackson, a member of the Weston Walking Club of Roslindale, on a wager made by a friend that he could not walk from Roslindale square to the Touraine in Boston in less than two hours time, won his wager. He covered the distance in one hour and thirty minutes.

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STRIFE RAGES HIGH IN NAVY DEPARTMENT

Scapegoats Among Officials Threaten to "Take the Lid Off" and Make Trouble.

SIMS AND HILL BLAMED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—Tremendous internecine warfare is going on in the navy department. Lieutenant Commander Sims, chief of target practice, and naval aide to the President, and Lieutenant Commander Hill, attached to the board presided over by Admiral Dewey, have been selected by the bureaucrats as scapegoats.

Commander Sims has his fighting blood up, and is anxious to go before the Senate Committee and take the lid off. His finger is pointed at some high officials.

Secretary Metcalf has singled out Sims and Hill to tell where Reuterdahl and other naval critics got their information.

"You allowed Reuterdahl to go on board the warship," is the Secretary's charge against Sims.

"Reuterdahl is with the fleet now. I didn't give him permission to go," is Sims's reply.

The friends of Sims and Hill are angry at the publication in a New York paper that poses as a navy organ of a report that Sims had quoted Admiral Evans as saying the armor belt on the fleet was submerged when the fleet took to sea. This story tended to show that Sims was doing all the talking.

It added that Sims had said he had received the information from Admiral Evans and that Secretary Metcalf had cabled the admiral for verification.

Lady MacKenzie Takes to Ballet Dancing Now

Special Cable to Boston American.

LONDON, Feb. 24.—Lady Constance Stewart-Richardson, better known under her maiden name of MacKenzie, has furnished society with another sensation—she has turned ballet dancer.

Already renowned as an all-round sportswoman and champion swimmer, she has decided that all the forms of exercise which she has so strenuously pursued do not complete the round of physical development of which she is such a pronounced advocate, and that ballet dancing is the one thing needful.

Proficient in the Art.

Thorough in everything, Lady Constance is taking lessons of the mistress of the ballet at Covent Garden, and there twice a week, dressed in conventional ballet skirts, she pirouettes on her toes, whirls and leaps as though her life or her income depended on her gyrations.

On Saturday morning she invited a number of friends to see how proficient she had become in the art, and it was their verdict that Lady Constance had the genius of a genl and that she might become a famous dancer if she persevered and adopted the profession.

A Captivating Entertainment.

Moreover, the performance of Lady Constance was so captivating an entertainment that several of the younger members of society present at the private rehearsal engaged to take lessons. So that one is very likely to hear of ballet dancing as the latest social fad.

Lady Constance Richardson is the daughter of the second Earl of Cromartie, who was a son of the late Duke of Sutherland. Her father inherited the title from his mother, who was a MacKenzie, and Lady Constance is heir presumptive to her sister, who is Countess of Cromartie.

Born in 1882, she made herself famous as a sportswoman. She can swim like a duck, has shot big game in the Rockies, is an expert whip, and astonished everybody a short time ago by marrying in the twinkle of an eye Sir Edward Austin Stewart-Richardson, a Scotch baronet.

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9782	The Heart You Lost in Maryland You'll Find in Tennessee	Frederic Rose
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9784	Nothin' Ever Worries Me	Arthur Collins
9785	"Smile, Smile, Smile" and "Kiss, Kiss, Kiss"	(Bells Solo) Albert Benzler
9786	Bygone Days	Harry Anthony
9787	Muggsy's Dream	Ada Jones & Len Spencer
9788	I Marched Around Again	Edward Meeker
9789	The Merry Widow Selection	Edison Symphony Orchestra
9790	Flanagan's St. Patrick's Day	Steve Porter
9791	The Sword of Bunker Hill	Edison Male Quartette
9792	She Forgot to Bring Him Back	Ada Jones
9793	Down the Field March	Edison Military Band

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When Harry Lauder, who has long been famous in England for his delightful rendition of quaint Scotch songs, was induced by the offer of a very large salary to appear at a New York theatre, we took advantage of the opportunity to obtain records of his best songs. The following are now on sale at all Edison stores. They are brimful of jovial humor and sung as no one else can sing them.

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B. 62 Rondo vom Goldenen Kalb, ("Song of the Golden Calf"), "Faust," Gounod. Sung in German By ROBERT BLASS, BASS.
B. 63 Una furtiva lagrima, ("In Her Dark Eye There Stood the Furtive Tear"), "L'Elisir d'Amore," Donizetti. Sung in Italian By FLORENCIO CONSTANTINO, TENOR.
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"RUM MONEY IS TAINTED," SAYS PASTOR

Rev. Marion Law Precipitates Political Row by Refusing "Unclean" Offering.

CRIES TRAFFIC IS CRIME

> ### *Would You Accept Slayer's Spoils?*
>
> "BY receiving tainted money we countenance evil and bring the stain on ourselves.
>
> "It is ever right to consider the source of our gifts.
>
> "Would you accept the spoils of a murderer, a part of his blood money, if you were in want?
>
> "The saloon business is murder. It is awful to say, but 100,000 men and women die in this land every year from drink."—*From Sermon of Rev. Marion Law Yesterday.*

Special to the Boston American.

PAWTUCKET, R. I., Feb. 24.—A bitter political fight is likely to result from the caustic remarks of the Rev. Marion Law, who in his sermon at St. Paul's church last night declared that if the Associated Charities accepted $200 from the Liquor Dealers' Association the organization would be in partnership with crime.

The pastor's subject was "Tainted Money." He said he was moved to remonstrate against accepting the money because he was a member of the Anti-Saloon League, and could not consistently sit on the charities board and vote to take the "unclean money." He said:

Saloon-Ridden.

"If it is ever right to consider the source of our gifts, it is always right to consider the source. By receiving doubtful and unclean money we not only countenance evil, but bring the stain upon ourselves. Let me just add here that there need be no fear that the worthy poor will suffer, if only they will make their wants known.

"Are the spoils of the murderer tainted money? Suppose yourself in want and the murderer came to you and offered as a gift a part of the blood money taken from his victim. Would you accept it? Never. You would starve or die first. But you say, it is not as bad as that, even if the gains of murder are tainted, the saloon business is not murder. I say it is, knowing that it is an awful thing to say, but 100,000 men and women die in this land every year from drink.

"In the cities of Pawtucket and Central Falls there are 65,000 people and 200 saloons, or about one saloon for each 325 people. Truly we are a saloon-ridden community. This, too, says nothing of the drug stores which are practically saloons and which I am unable not to believe the police could stop doing business just as they could stop the Sunday saloon business if they had a mind to. I believe that at least thirty out of every sixty-five families are not supporters of the saloon, and this leaves an average of each saloon supported by thirty-five families.

Know Their Victims.

"I deny that my position will prevent this fund reaching the poor. God forbid that I should seek to deprive the poor of any help in this time of distress. There are other societies in this city which help the poor. There is the Overseer of the Poor, who makes this his business. The city, by giving licenses to the saloons, receives large money from this source, and incidentally becomes a partner in the saloon business. There is no reason why the Overseer of the Poor might not disburse such funds.

"Indeed, the saloonkeepers themselves might disburse them by having a committee in each ward for this purpose. They know who their victims are better than anyone else, and who, therefore, are likely to be in greatest need of help."

EDISON GOES UNDER KNIFE

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—Thomas A. Edison, the inventor, is a patient at the Manhattan Eye, Ear and Throat Hospital, where last night he underwent an operation intended to relieve him of trouble in the left ear.

The operation, which was not considered especially serious, was performed by Dr. Arthur B. Duel, the specialist in aural diseases, who opened an abscess in the ear. It was seemingly wholly successful and unless unexpected complications develop a prompt recovery is anticipated.

MYERS BOXES AT PORTLAND.

Henry Myers, the ex-amateur champion of America, and Eddie Harrigan of Portland will clash at the Pastime Athletic Club in Portland Tuesday night in the main event of six rounds.

Harrigan and Myers engaged in one of the best contests ever seen in Portland a few weeks ago, Myers having the better of the engagement.

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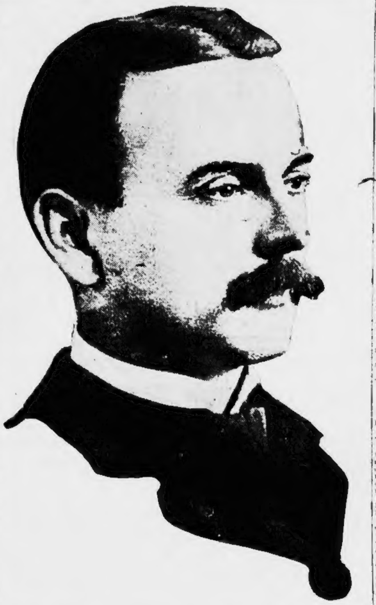
DECLARES CITY SALOON-CURSED

Rev. Marion Law of Pawtucket who preached against accepting liquor dealers' donation for charity.



COALING OF FLEET TO BE ENDED TO-DAY

LIMA, Peru, Feb. 24.—The United States battleship fleet resumed coaling to-day after a rest over Washington's Birthday and Sunday. The work is progressing briskly, and it is expected all bunkers will be filled to-night.

The task of fueling has curtailed the number of shore leaves for the men, but many officers are keeping social engagements here and at Callao, and the harbor fairly swarms with small craft loaded to the gunwales with curious excursionists from all the towns in the neighborhood.

Here, as at all other ports the fleet has visited, the conduct of the men ashore has been above criticism. Though 3,000 wandered through the streets of Lima and Callao yesterday, there was hardly the sign of a misunderstanding with the people, and numerous have been the compliments bestowed on the visitors by the Peruvian authorities.

While the American officers agree that they are glad no heavy fogs interfered with the squadron's navigation of Magellan Strait, as they did with that of the collier Ajax, which followed the battleships through and arrived here yesterday, they say they guess the fighting vessels would have accomplished the trip without serious mishap, anyway.

Nevertheless, it is conceded that the western reaches of the Strait are quite bad enough under the most favorable circumstances, and that the limited accommodations of Borja and Tamar Bahis, where the Ajax anchored twice, would have been altogether inadequate for the sixteen big war vessels.

President Pardo's visit to the flagship yesterday and the reception accorded him by the officers aboard has been the feature of the stay at Callao thus far.

TYPOS SCORE HIBBARD AS 'UN-AMERICAN'

Resolutions condemning the attitude of Mayor Hibbard as un-American, unfair, discriminating and contrary to the spirit and letter of the constitution of the country were passed yesterday by Boston Typographical Union 13. The resolutions are in reply to the published statement of Mayor Hibbard in which he says he would not appoint a member of a trade union to be the head of a city department. The resolutions follow:

"Whereas, in a recent interview given to the press, the present Mayor of the city of Boston, Mr. George A. Hibbard, is alleged to have made and has not denied making a statement that he would not appoint an active member of a trades union to be the head of a city department, and

"Whereas, by this action he has debarred all of the 60,000 Boston members of labor organizations from holding any position of importance within his gift simply because of their association with trades organizations and for no other purpose; therefore, be it

"Resolved, that Boston Typographical Union, 13, recognizing and realizing the many benefits to the individual and to the municipality which have been brought about through the medium of trades organization, having in mind the long list of men and women who have served faithfully and well the city, State and nation while still holding active membership in some trade organization, hereby condemn as un-American, unfair discrimination and contrary to the letter and spirit of the Constitution, the statement attributed to Mayor Hibbard, and by which thousands of citizens are virtually disfranchised owing to their affiliation with trades unions."

POLICEMAN SAVED LIVES IN FIRE PERIL

Patrolman Mooney, with several citizens, saved the lives of half a dozen families at No. 24 Battery street, when a midnight fire threatened their safety. After having the alarm sounded Mooney forced the door in the entrance to the tenements upstairs and ran up the passageways through the thick smoke, pounding the doors and calling to the people inside to escape. On the second floor Mooney seized Mrs. Carlo Barozo, who, with a baby in her arms, was swooning from fright, and carried her and her child to safety. The policeman rushed back, this time accompanied by several other men. One of these, Thomas Dowling, snatched four children of a family named Festa from their beds and saved them.

Angelo Sortzy, who, with his wife and three children lived directly over the shoe store, had the narrowest escape of any of the number, the smoke having nearly overcome them before they were awakened. The owner of the building, M. Darino, lived above the Sortzy family and he, with several others, was obliged to seek the roof and run across the housetops to the neighboring tenements.

The fire was mostly confined to a shoe store and cigar stand, owned by Marius Startl, which occupies the street floor of the building. Above are a dozen tenements in which many families live.

CARDINAL GIBBONS GUEST OF KNIGHTS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—Cardinal Gibbons was tendered a reception yesterday by the Knights of Columbus. This organization proposes to raise a fund of $500,000 for the Catholic University of America. In a brief address the Cardinal commended the movement. Resolutions upon the death of Bishop Henry Y. Satterlee of the Episcopal Diocese of Washington was adopted.

DELIRIOUS, HE JUMPS 35 FEET TO QUICK DEATH

Breaking away after a fierce struggle with one of the doctors at the City Hospital, Henry White, a patient in Ward M, smashed his way through a plate glass window, rushed out onto the third-story balcony and leaped to the ground thirty-five feet below, yesterday. He was picked up and carried back to the hospital, where he died a short time later.

All persons having any knowledge of the accident were instructed to maintain silence and no report was made to the police.

It is believed that White was a fever patient and that while delirious was seized with suicidal mania. While the attention of the orderlies was directed elsewhere he suddenly sprang from his bed and in his light clothing ran from the ward into the corridor.

The flight was noticed by one of the doctors, who took after him and grabbed him. There was a fierce struggle, but the doctor was no match for the man and was shaken off. Although the struggle had aroused the orderlies before they could get to the assistance of the doctor White had broken away, and running to one of the large windows which opens onto the balcony on the Albany street side, smashed it as though it was paper.

Springing through the window he was on the balcony, and without hesitation leaped over. Word was quickly passed along and a number rushed to the man's assistance. He was terribly injured and lapsed into unconsciousness almost immediately, dying in less than two hours.

PIPE BURSTS; LAKE FORMS IN PARIS PARK

PARIS, Feb. 24.—The main water pipe of Paris, under Tuileries street, burst twice last evening and converted the street into a torrent. Eventually the Tuileries garden became a vast lake. The water flooded cellars, extinguishing fires and stopping the dynamos in at least one large hotel, putting the building in darkness.

LAUNCHING OF NEW PARTY ROUSES GREAT ENTHUSIASM

Independence League Delegates Cheered As They Leave Chicago for Homes.

Pledges of Support and Predictions of Success Made By Leading Citizens

CHICAGO, Feb. 24.—The delegates from the Eastern States, who have been in attendance at the Independence League conference, are on their way home to-day.

Their departure was the occasion for one more of the demonstrations of enthusiasm which have characterized the great gathering. Hundreds of the Western delegates and leaders accompanied them to their trains and cheered the inauguration of the new party.

Informal conferences looking to further plans for the organization of the party were held throughout the day. Not in years has a similar political event created such interest among its members, and the injunction from Mr. Hearst to do missionary work from this time forward without ceasing, has met a most enthusiastic response.

Pledges of earnest effort and predictions of success were borne to the leaders by every delegate to the conference and the adjournment of the great gathering has proved the signal for a more widespread demonstration.

Meets Leading Italians

A number of prominent Italian citizens of Chicago, desirous of meeting William Randolph Hearst, were introduced to him at the Auditorium by Judge Palmieri of New York.

Judge Palmieri, one of the leaders of the New York Independence League, was a conspicuous figure at the Manhattan conference of the league in this city Saturday, and prominent Chicago Italians called on him to tell him that they had taken pride in his public career.

In the Chicago delegation were Emil Ferrio, attorney; Michael F. Lisonati, a lawyer; Michael F. Schiavone, a banker of South Halsted street; A. Mastro-Valerio, editor of La Tribuna Italiana, and A. Edward Virigo, a lawyer, No. 112 Torquer street, and member of the Chicago Independence League.

Judge Palmieri then introduced his guests to Mr. Hearst.

Lawyers Ferrio and Lisonati, in brief speeches, referred to the success achieved by their countrymen in the profession, and instanced the career of Judge Palmieri, who has graced the New York bench and is now a Deputy Attorney General.

Banker Schiavone spoke of the progress of his countrymen in commercial lines. Editor Valerio gave credit to the Hearst newspapers for great work in behalf of the common people.

Lawyer M. Virgo declared that the League was the only party that really had the best interests of the general public at heart, and assured Mr. Hearst that the Italian citizens of Chicago believed in the League's principles and are preparing to work for the movement.

All the members of the delegation declared the Italian people of the country were not forgetful of the personal generosity of Mr. Hearst and the hearty work done by his newspapers two years ago for the relief of the Vesuvius sufferers, when a fund of $33,000 was collected.

Praises Italian Citizenship.

Mr. Hearst paid a tribute to the character of American citizenship as represented by people of Italian birth and their descendants. He spoke of the Italians' love of the beautiful art, music and the home. He instanced many cases of great constructive work that have been successfully carried forward by the hard labor of Italians, and spoke with intimate knowledge of the great good that resulted from their labors in California, Illinois, Alabama and New York.

Mr. Hearst urged the Chicago delegation to preach the gospel of a livelier interest in politics to the Italian people, to the end that their voting strength may be directed with best effort for good government.

It was announced after the reception that a complimentary dinner would be given Judge Palmieri in Chicago in a few weeks, at which, it is hoped, Mr. Hearst will be present.

Most of the New York delegation and representatives of other Eastern States started home yesterday.

New York, as the birthplace of the Independence League, had the largest representation at the conference outside of Chicago.

PRAISE HEARST'S LETTER ON COURTS

CHICAGO, Feb. 24.—William Randolph Hearst's letter on the recent decisions of the Supreme Court has created the greatest interest in organized labor circles.

Every decision on labor questions recently made by the Supreme Court has been hailed by certain influences as a blow to trade unions. This was such a prevalent opinion that there was great rejoicing when Mr. Hearst's letter was read.

Leaders of the labor unions had given up hope of ever getting an employers' liability law enacted by Congress. They believed that the right to discharge a union man had been made absolute, as well as the right of the employe to blacklist.

Mr. Hearst's suggestion that labor should advance its interest by the proper support of proper measures at the proper time was indorsed, it being said that too many bills were defeated because the labor people failed to assist actively in their passage until too late. Following are some expressions of opinion.

Surprised and Pleased.

John J. Brittain, treasurer of the Chicago Federation of Labor—"I was surprised as well as pleased by Mr. Hearst's letter. I had supposed that it would be impossible to have an employers' liability law enacted. I thought that the Supreme Court had made several other decisions to the detriment of labor and in favor of the few. For several weeks we have been told almost daily that labor has had another crushing blow delivered by the Supreme Court.

"All labor wishes is equality in law. We are willing to accept any law if it bears equally on all.

"The associations that have been fighting labor have been extravagantly misrepresented the decisions, and it is a good thing for labor that Mr. Hearst has pointed out the truth. I also believe in his advice to seek to advance by supporting proper legislation."

Timothy Crulce, president Carpenters' Union No. 1—"I have read the letter twice and am well pleased with it. There are many surprises in its contents. He has set the working people right on the decisions. They had supposed that the Supreme Court was overruling every principle of law to crush the labor unions. I am glad that it is possible for Congress to pass a constitutional employers' liability law governing interstate commerce. I did not know it before.

"The States maintain the right to legislate for corporations wholly within the State. The decisions on the discharge of a union man because he is a union man, I see, were also misunderstood. The carpenters do not say to the employer, 'you must employ this man.' He can employ whom he pleases, and the carpenter reserves the right to work for him if he so desires. That is the constitutional right of each.

"The letter should be read a dozen times, and each paragraph discussed so that the full benefit of its broadness can be thoroughly understood."

Dissents on Some Points.

John Fitzpatrick, president of the Chicago Federation of Labor—"I am not entirely pleased with Mr. Hearst's views, as expressed in his letter. I read an editorial in the Examiner a few days ago which was along the same lines of similar subjects, and I was so much impressed with it that I clipped it out and filed it away. It struck me as being just about right. This one, which I read in to-day's paper, does not impress me nearly so well. It seems to me that Mr. Hearst's expressions on the attitude of the Supreme Court are not in accord with the best interests of labor.

"I fully concur with Mr. Hearst, that, if boycotting is illegal, blacklisting should also be so held, but the fact that Mr. Hearst and I agree on that subject does not prove that the Supreme Court would think the same way, and I very much doubt if they would. We need a clearly defined legal enactment on the point."

James J. Linehan, chairman Grievance Committee, Chicago Federation of Labor—"Mr. Hearst has given us the first reliable public statement on the real meaning of the Supreme Court decisions. Many political raises are well established trade union principles. I am glad he has pointed out the truth.

"Labor has been going on for several weeks under the opinion that we had lost nearly every right we possessed. There were influences of various kinds at work making this sentiment. The object was to make us think we had a harder fight than we have to get justice. That, of course, according to the reasoning of these influences, would act as a chill on our efforts to get equality before the law. Several years might have elapsed before we would have known the truth. I am glad Mr. Hearst has so ably informed us of the situation."

DECLARES HEARST SPEAKS FOR MAJORITY OF AMERICAN PEOPLE

LONDON, Feb. 24.—A remarkable appreciation of William Randolph Hearst's letter to the Times appears in London Opinion. It is from the pen of the well known political economist, Edgar Wallace, and says:

"Looking back over the year 1907, and asking myself which event in that year was of the greatest importance to the British people, I answer without hesitation, the letter indited by William Randolph Hearst to the Times on the eve of the New York elections.

"Hearst has what the greatest of English newspaper proprietors call 'the common mind.' And when he sits down in his New York study to indict England and the English, he knows just how far he is reflecting the opinions of the people for whom he caters. And just what William Randolph Hearst says of England, so the vast majority of Americans think.

"The voice that speaks truest for America—the real North and East and West—is William Randolph Hearst; and if his victory at the polls depended solely on the soundness of his views in regard to England he would have been returned by an overwhelming majority."

WILL OBSERVE CENTENARY OF CATHOLICISM

The greatest interest is shown today by both Catholics and Protestants all over Greater Boston in the announcement made by Archbishop O'Connell to the effect that the one hundredth anniversary of the founding of the Boston diocese would be celebrated by a great public demonstration.

The centenary falls on April 8, on which date there will be religious services in all the churches. On some other date, to be announced later, will occur the jubilee celebration. There will be solemn ritualistic services in the Cathedral of the Holy Cross, with a memorial sermon by the archbishop, a procession of all the religious societies of the archdiocese, and a great reunion of Catholics in Symphony Hall.

It is believed that Cardinal Gibbons and many others among the most distinguished prelates in the Catholic hierarchy will grace the celebrations by their presence.

Archbishop O'Connell's announcement regarding the centenary was read in all the churches yesterday. In this he reviewed the history of the dioceses from the time when Cheverus, an exiled French missionary, labored in little Boston, until 1908, when an archbishop presides over a province with 2,000,000 people, with 1,100 churches and seven bishops.

CHASED MAN 10,000 MILES

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—After a chase of 10,000 miles, lasting nearly a year, Detective D. G. Baldwin of Roanoke, Va., brought from the Argentine Republic, by way of England, Moses Faris, a young Syrian, wanted in Virginia for the killing of a countryman, Frank Assaid, last March. He jailed the captive to-day.

Faris asserts that he killed Assaid, who was a merchant in Roanoke, in self-defense after the man had attacked him with a knife. He fled to Canada with $600 in his pockets, returned to New York and sailed to Buenos Ayres.

FLOAT CRUISER HIST.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 24.—The Maritime Exchange observer at Cove Point reports that the United States converted cruiser Hist, which has been ashore there since last Wednesday morning, was floated yesterday by the government tugs Standish, Hercules and Wahneta and the revenue cutter Apache.

Itch! Itch!! Itch!!!

Scratch! Scratch!! Scratch!!!

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SCORES STATE INSTITUTIONS

Scoring the Concord Reformatory, the Foxboro Hospital, penny-slot machine shows and patent medicines and praising compulsory education, Edward T. Hartman, secretary of the Massachusetts League, yesterday kept his hearers at the South Congregational Church interested during every moment of his address on legislation. He called the Reformatory a mild sort of prison with not always the best people in charge and declared that Foxboro hospital is in no way suited to the treatment of dipsomaniacs. Penny-slot shows he declared are harmful to the morals of children and he urged the need of a law compelling managers to stop showing pictures which now go to the very limit of the law. He claimed patent medicines often lead to the drug habit.

GREET BOSTON THEATRE TEAM

This evening at the Columbia Kenney and Hollis, a well-known and popular vaudeville team, will be tendered a testimonial by their numerous friends and admirers. Both boys claim Boston as their native city, and were connected with some of the well known local theatres in other capacities than that of actors before adopting the stage as a profession. Frank W. Hollis was treasurer of the Castle Square for a few seasons.

The two boys are now the leading comedians of the Champagne Girls Burlesquers and are making the hit of their lives.

The advance sale of tickets indicates that the house will be well filled.

When on the table—always eaten
Once eaten—always on the table

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LEAGUE RALLY AT ATTLEBORO; HISGEN TO TALK

Large Number Expected to Join New Party at March 13 Meeting.

FULL TICKET IN FIELD

NORTH ATTLEBORO, Feb. 24.—Thomas L. Hisgen, of West Springfield, will be the principal speaker at a big Independence League rally to be held here March 13, at which a large number of voters are expected to join the party. State Chairman O'Neill, of Rhode Island, will also speak.

The local League has nominated Dr. A. Frank Gehrungs and Dr. Ernest Texiller as candidates for the School Board, and Clarence Flagg for member of the Lighting, Water and Sinking Fund Board. The organization now has a full ticket in the field. The League caucus will be held in the Selectmen's room, Odd Fellows' building, to-morrow night.

ARREST DOCTOR RESULT OF DEAD GIRL'S CHARGES

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Feb. 24.—As a result of the post-mortem examination of the body of Mrs. Daniel Miller, held by Medical Referee Nute of Exeter, Drs. Fowle and Heffenger of this city, and the sworn statement of the young woman on her death bed, Dr. Leon Varrell, a prominent society and church member of Rochester, has been placed under arrest and is arraigned to-day on the charge of unlawful treatment.

Here she grew rapidly worse and, while informed of her condition by the attendants, refused to tell her story until a few minutes before she passed away.

County Attorney Charles H. Batchelder, Sheriff M. M. Collis, Dr. Towle and the matron of the hospital were present at the dying girl's bedside.

The girl was Artie Manson before her marriage. When a mere child, at the age of sixteen, she became the wife of Miller, who was then a private at the military post in her native town.

They lived together for nearly a year, when Miller concluded his term of enlistment in the service and left his young wife and little babe. He is at present located in New York city, but is not in the army.

10-YEAR-OLD BOY SAVES SKATER

PROVIDENCE, Feb. 24.—Alfred Osmond, fourteen years old, to-day, owes his life to the courage of ten-year-old George Hoid who yesterday crawled out on a ladder to the edge of a big hole in the ice on Muspaug Pond and dragged him to safety. Osmond, who was skating, failed to notice the hole cut by icemen the day before and skated directly into it. His cries brought young Hoid, who ran to a nearby icehouse for a ladder, which just reached across the hole. He crawled out and pulled Osmond to thick ice.

SAVE FOUR FROM DEATH IN RIVER

Dashing down the High street hill in Dedham on a double runner, four Dedham boys—Russell Green, Thomas Boland, Ernest Daniels and Richard Burdet—were unable to stop the sled, which shot onto the ice on the Charles River, glided until it struck a thin place and then broke through, throwing the boys into the water. A number of other boys saw the accident and went to the rescue. The rescuers included John Pratt, Thorndike Whittemore, Brewer White and George Cheney.

Boston American Daily Home Magazine

One of the Worst of Woman's Faults Is Her Show of Jealousy

By Beatrice Fairfax

Beatrice Fairfax, who is writing for the Boston American on "The Faults of Women," has already written on "vanity," on "flirting." Today she discusses woman's proneness to jealousy, and in later articles she will deal with other faults. But Beatrice Fairfax is a warm champion of woman, for all that, and agrees that "with all her faults, we love her still"—and ought to.

THE quality of jealousy is not peculiar to woman, for men have been killed through jealousy, and even animals are not free from it.

But woman's jealousy is more general than man's. As a rule, man's jealousy is chiefly connected with his love of some woman. He is jealous of any other man in whom she shows the least interest.

Woman, however, can be jealous in a thousand ways.

First and foremost, of course, she is jealous if the man she loves looks at another woman, or if another woman looks at him. Because she loves him she imagines him irresistible in the eyes of all women.

Then she is jealous of her neighbor's pretty house or new piano. She is jealous if her best friend dresses better than she does.

Jealous of Others

IF she is a professional woman she is jealous of the woman who makes a "hit" in any particular line.

If she is a sister she is very often jealous of the girl her brother pays attention to.

If she is a mother she is intensely jealous of her son's sweetheart or wife.

Don't think for a moment that a woman does not fight against the miserable thing. She does not want to be jealous, but she just can't help it.

The minute a woman becomes jealous of a man she begins to lose her hold on him. He may be flattered at first, but he very soon is bored.

After a time he gets so that he does not tell her where he goes or whom he meets.

If there is one thing man chafes against it is curtailment of his liberty. He hates to feel that someone is watching his every move and questioning his every action.

If woman could only keep her jealousy to herself it would be all right, but she can't. She must talk about her rival, and she must say unkind things.

She defeats her own ends by making the man sorry for the woman she is abusing.

Jealousy in love is inevitable, and I doubt if anyone who really loves is free from it. No one can blame woman for being jealous where the man she loves is concerned.

Jealousies Are Petty

BUT many of the other jealousies of woman are petty in the extreme.

For instance, to be jealous because your neighbor has a better house and clothes than you have is a most ignoble sentiment.

To be jealous of your brother's love for another woman is ridiculous. The two loves are wholly different.

A man's love for his wife does not in the least interfere with his love for his sister, nor does it interfere with his love for his mother, and yet there are thousands of mothers who are miserably jealous of their sons' wives.

It is a desperately unhappy feeling, that of jealousy, and one of which every woman in every age has known the sting.

Don't Be a Quitter; Finish Your Work

MOST lives are filled with half finished tasks, which were begun with enthusiasm, but which have been dropped because the enthusiastic beginners had not enough grit to carry them to a conclusion. But it is the things that are finished that count, not those that are only well begun.

How easy it is to start a thing when the mind is aglow with zeal, before disappointment has lulled ambition! It does not take much ability to begin a thing; we cannot estimate a man by the number of things he commences. We do not judge him by his speed at the beginning of the race.

The test of character is in a man's ability to persist in what he undertakes until he adds the finishing stroke. The ability to hold on is one of the rarest of human virtues.

There are plenty who will go with the crowd, and who will work hard as long as they can hear the music; but when the majority have dropped out, when others have turned back and a man feels himself alone fighting for a principle, it takes a very different order of ability to persist. This requires grit and stamina.

Look out for the period in your life when you are tempted to turn back! There is the danger point, the decisive period. All the great things of history have been accomplished after the great majority of men would have turned back.

The world owes nearly all its great things to those who have persisted when others have given up. You may gain a certain amount of success without education, without culture, without brilliancy, but you cannot do much without staying power and grit.

More young men have achieved success in life with grit as capital than with money capital to start with. Grit has overcome the direst poverty; it has been more than a match for lifelong invalidism.

No matter how disagreeable your work, or how much trouble you may have this year, resolve that, whatever comes to you or does not come to you, you will keep sweet, that you will not allow your disposition to sour, that you will face the sunlight, no matter how deep the shadows.

You can make poetry out of the prosiest life, and bring sunshine into the darkest home; you can develop beauty and grace amid the ugliest surroundings. It is not circumstances, so much as attitude of mind, that gives happiness.

"Nothing can disturb his good nature," said a man of one of his employes; "that is why I like him. It does not matter how much I scold him or find fault with him, he is always sunny. He never lays up anything against me, never resents anything."

That is recommendation enough for anybody. No wonder this man did not want to part with such an employe.

Who can estimate the value of a nature so sunny that it attracts everybody? Everybody wants to get near sunny people; everybody likes to know them.

They open, without effort, doors which morose natures are obliged to pry open with great difficulty, or perhaps cannot open at all.

SOME OMENS OF GOOD OR EVIL

THE superstition of the magical number three has numberless variations. If you meet a person twice, you will meet him three times. If you upset a glass twice, you will upset it three times. But you have only to break a piece of crockery once, and be sure of smashing three before long, unless immediately after the mishap you break a match in two. This apparently breaks the spell.

But superstitions about numbers are innumerable, from the fatal thirteen to others with less serious consequences.

Some of the omens which presage misfortune can easily be avoided. For instance, it is unlucky to pass through a door with a picture hanging above it. But the ill luck can easily be escaped by the simple expedient of not going through the door.

But other methods of peeping into the future must be accidental. The slightest suspicion of deliberate intention spoils the charm completely. For instance:

Among the girls employed at a milliner's there is a saying that if the pin tray is upset they shall have a wedding order that day. But if it is knocked over on purpose, of course nothing of the kind happens.

Another strange superstition is a dislike to living in a house where the front door opens toward the left.

ADVICE TO THE LOVELORN

By Beatrice Fairfax

NO HARM IN IT

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am a young lady of twenty and have known a young man for the last three years. He attended the same church as I, therefore escorted me home several times, and invited me to several places of amusement, etc., but as I was then attending school I did not accept, but thanked him very kindly, saying that after I graduated I should be at liberty. Now, Miss Fairfax, I haven't seen or heard from him in over a year, as I have moved from the city, but would like to renew the friendship if possible. Do you think it would be improper to send a pretty postal of some kind, as I have never written to him before? AGNES.

THERE would be no harm in sending him a postal card, but he is the one who should take the first steps toward renewing the friendship. However, send the card if you are anxious to; it will do no harm, at any rate.

A REMARKABLE SITUATION

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

Kindly let me have your opinion of a mother who takes money from her intended son-in-law for her daughter's board, the daughter not being willing to work, and also your opinion of a girl that would not feel too proud to accept it from her intended husband.

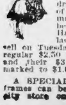
A CONSTANT READER.

I THINK both mother and daughter should be ashamed of themselves. If the daughter is too lazy to work she will make a very poor wife, and the young man who marries her runs great risk of leading a very unhappy life.

TOMORROW'S BEST BARGAINS
IN BOSTON'S BIG STORES

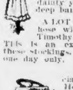
ONE LOT OF MEN'S negligee shirts, the regular 50 cent and 69 cent quality, will be put on sale at Shepard Norwell's for only 39 cents. They can be had in a variety of black and white checks and stripes in sizes 14 to 17. This sale is special for Tuesday only.

A NEW LOT OF FINE PRINCESS lingerie dresses has just been received at Conrad's and will be sold Tuesday for $7.95. These are entirely new models made up in all the pastel shades and elaborately trimmed with combination of val. and heavy laces, forming yoke. The three-quarter sleeves and skirt are also trimmed with insertion making a very dainty dress for party wear.



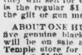
CHANDLER'S STORE, ON Tremont street, will have an exceptionally good bargain in a combination cover and drawer. They have two lots of fine lawns and nainsooks, made with fitted yoke and beautifully trimmed with Hamburg embroidery and fine lace insertions, that they will sell on Tuesday at reduced prices. Their regular $2.50 suit will be sold for $1.50, and their $3 and $3.50 suits will be marked to $1.95.

A SPECIAL BARGAIN IN PICTURE frames can be found at Vorenberg's novelty store on Winter street to-morrow. They have a variety of styles, in ping pong, carte, cabinet and various other sizes of gilt or French finish, that they have reduced to 15 cents each. This is an attractive bargain at this price.



YOU CAN GET A BARGAIN in a fine white French nainsook chemise to-morrow at Gilchrist's store for 79 cents, formerly sold for $1.25. They are cut very full, with lace trimmed flounce and dainty yokes of lace, hamburg and deep bands of cluny.

A LOT OF LADIES' FAST BLACK hose will be on sale Tuesday at Timothy Smith's for 6¼ cents. This is an exceptionally low price for these stockings. They will be on sale for one day only.



YOU CAN FIND A SPECIAL bargain in wrist bags at Houghton & Dutton's. They have a lot of seal grain leather bags, with eight-inch frame, leather lined and fitted with large purse, that they will sell for 69 cents for one day. This is the regular $1 bag, and can be had in the gilt or gun metal finish.

ABOUT ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-five genuine black heatherbloom petticoats will be on sale at MacDonnell's Tremont Temple store for 98 cents. These are the regular $1.98 value, made with deep sectional tucked flounce with dust ruffle. This is a real bargain at this reduced price.

WHEN WOMEN GET THEIR RIGHTS

By T. E. Powers

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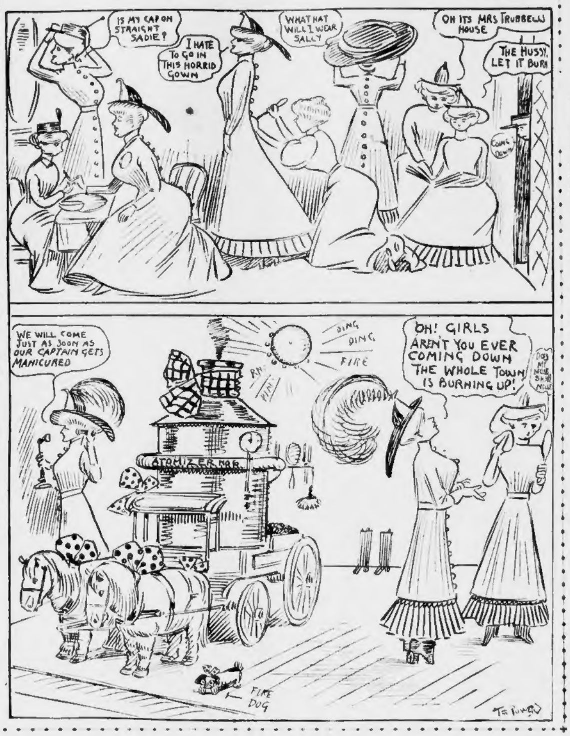
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I HATE TO GO IN THIS HORRID GOWN
WHAT HAT WILL I WEAR SALLY
OH ITS MRS TRUBBELLS HOUSE
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COME DOWN
WE WILL COME JUST AS SOON AS OUR CAPTAIN GETS MANICURED
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OH! GIRLS AREN'T YOU EVER COMING DOWN THE WHOLE TOWN IS BURNING UP!
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Daily Short Story

The Hermit of the Bay

By Ernest Roeser

ON a reef jutting out into New York bay from the Jersey shore there is a lighthouse—an oasis in the water. It is built on a rock foundation and the walls rise straight from the water. There is no garden, no promenade, no picturesque surroundings as are found in paintings of lighthouses. The reef lighthouse was built for service, not for appearance.

Old man Croffit used to be the tender. He lived in the circular building. He tended the lights and kept them burning at nights. On foggy days he sounded bells and horns to warn craft away from the reef.

Old Croffit had lived so long in the bay that he was soured on humanity. He talked with himself so long that he cared for conversation with no one else. Once every two weeks he rowed to the shore—it was a good two-mile pull over choppy water—and brought back his supplies. He also brought a cask of oil, a jug of whisky and a pound of tobacco.

This was the one interruption to the solitary life of the hermit of the bay. He was a hermit in truth—more so than the man who lives alone in the heart of the woods.

One day a boat scraped against old Croffit's front door. A man past thirty years of age, well dressed and evidently a nervous person, entered the lighthouse. Old Croffit stared at him in surprise. It was his first visitor in many years.

"Well?" said Croffit, at last.

"My name's Elkins," said the stranger. "I come out to call on you." And he smiled in a peculiar manner.

"Well?" said old Croffit once more.

"You see, it's like this," said the stranger, or Elkins, as he should now be called, "I want to stay with you for awhile. Oh, I'll pay you well," he added hastily, as he saw the frown gathering on Croffit's face. "I think two or three weeks in the middle of the bay would do me good. I'm run down in health—too much confinement and work."

"Can't do it," said Croffit. "'Gainst the rules. Nobody but a fool 'ud want to stay here anyhow."

"That's all right," said Elkins. "I'll pay you well for your trouble and no one will be the wiser. You see, I get funny notions sometimes. I saw this light as I was riding on a ferryboat and the idea of living in the middle of the bay has taken such hold on me that I can't shake it off. I've just got to live here."

Old Croffit shook his head.

Light of Greed

"See here," persisted Elkins, "I am prepared to fix you up all right. What would you say, now, to $150 for two weeks' board in your house?"

Old Croffit still shook his head, but the light of greed was beginning to glow in his eyes. He was as much a miser as any recluse becomes while living alone.

"I'll make it double the amount," said Elkins. "You see, I am determined. This may seem peculiar to you, but then I am a peculiar man."

"Well," said old Croffit at last, "if you want to be a real fool I guess I might as well take advantage of your craziness. It's a risk, but I'll chance it."

Elkins brought in his suit case and made himself at home. For three days he did nothing but smoke and walk nervously from window to window in the lighthouse.

He made Croffit nervous, but the old man was willing to put up with the inconveniences for the money. Elkins rarely slept. He just walked back and forth in the room and smoked incessantly.

At the end of a week he did not look well. He became feverish. The old man fixed him up a bunk and gave him some simple remedies, but Elkins continued to grow worse. In another day he became delirious.

"He ought to have a doctor," soliloquized Croffit, "but that means that I'll be found out and get fired for having a boarder. I guess quinine's what he needs. The dampness was too much for him."

So old Croffit made his patient comfortable, barred the windows, and after locking the door from the outside, rowed to shore.

Fairly Dazed

While waiting his turn in a drug store, Croffit picked up a newspaper and casually glanced over it. A photograph on the front page caught his attention. He looked at it closely, then hastily read the article accompanying it. It told of the robbery of a New York trust company. The teller walked out with $75,000 in a suit case.

Old man Croffit's heart began to beat fast. The photograph was that of his lodger, the sick man in the lighthouse. And there was ten thousand dollars reward for his capture.

Croffit was fairly dazed. After awhile his excitement cooled. He took his quinine, and going to his boat, sat down in the stern and thought over the whole matter.

Ten thousand dollars. That was a whole lot of money. He did not mind giving up another man and seeing him go to prison. Not if the recompense was ten thousand dollars.

Croffit quickly made up his mind. He had a friend, a detective, who worked along the water front. He hunted him up and, first, in crafty manner, binding him to a division of the promised reward, told his story. The detective went with Croffit at once.

They were in the middle of the bay, tossing along on the rough water pounding the reef, and planning just how they would take Elkins, when they were interrupted by a long drawn out yell.

Croffit paused on his oars and looked toward the lighthouse. Then, leaping to his feet, he pointed to the platform in the top of the tower. There, dancing about and waving his arms, clearly out of his mind was the sick man.

"I never thought of him climbing to the light," said Croffit, as he bent to his oars. "We'll have to hurry."

Finally, when the boat was quite near, the sick man ceased his frenzied dancing and yelling, and studied the men in the boat.

"Ho!" he shouted, laughing wildly. "You think you can catch me, eh? Well, you can't. See—there's the water and it's cool. My head is burning. The old man lit a fire in it as I slept. He wanted to use me as a torch in the tower. But I'll fool him."

"Crazy as a loon," muttered Croffit, still rowing fiercely.

"I'm going to put out the fire," yelled Elkins, and, with another unearthly howl of laughter, he leaped into the bay. His body was caught in the swirl of the tide and quickly carried away.

Tempted!

Croffit and the detective were astounded. They rowed to the place where he had gone down and hovered over the spot for a half hour. Then they entered the lighthouse.

The detective, purely professional, immediately began prowling through the effects left by Elkins. He forced open a suit case and bundles of green bank notes bulged out and fell upon the floor.

"There's the stuff," he said.

Both men were silent for a long time. They continued to stare at the wealth before their eyes.

"It's frightful, isn't it!" finally whispered old Croffit.

The detective did not answer. He was narrowly eyeing Croffit, as well as the money.

"Croffit," he said at last, in measured voice, "Croffit, we're out here in the middle of the bay."

"Yes?" said Croffit.

"No one but we two saw that poor, crazy fellow jump."

"No one," said Croffit, his face flushing and his features straining as he comprehended.

There was another long silence.

"Croffit," finally said the detective, "Croffit, how would you like to quit tending lighthouse? Say—how would you?"

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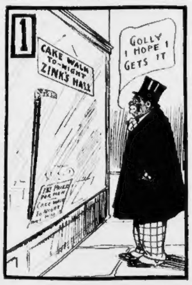
And that's how it came that the hermit of the bay resigned his position two weeks later. That's why the trust company never located its missing teller or the stolen money.

PROTECT CLOTHES

TO prevent the universally liked Gretchen apron from becoming soiled and wet so quickly by coming in contact with sink and washboard, stitch a casing on wrong side at waist line, insert tape, draw snugly and tie. Tack tape securely in centre of front to keep it from slipping out when untied.

DAILY PUZZLE PICTURE
Names of Authors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CAKE WALK TO-NIGHT ZINK'S HALL
GOLLY I HOPE I GETS IT
1ST PRIZE FOR MEN CAKE WALK TO NIGHT

What Famous Author Is This?

ANSWER. ....

ONE of the puzzle pictures is published daily in the BOSTON AMERICAN. Twenty dollars in prizes will be given weekly for the best answers.

The $20 in prizes will be divided as follows:

First prize	$10
Second prize	5
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An Old Maid's Own Confessions of Her Leap Year Troubles

By Arletta B. Canfield

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I BELIEVE I told you about the late [illegible] in automobile stock. Bill learns I played leading lady all right in that little tragedy. However, I never did like postmortems, so here goes to forget it.

Of course, Bert had to butt in. He'd do that if it took an axe, a jimmy and a stick of dynamite. He said: "Bill, it's pretty deep going near the rail in a heavy track, isn't it?"

I just told him that I didn't care if it was, I was a mighty good mud runner and if he wanted a sure thing he better look out for Bill, the long shot.

He said: "Bill, if you are really in earnest with this bum conspiracy, why don't you tackle Mike McGill?" I got right up and—no, I didn't hug him, but it was because he wouldn't let me.

Mike was a boodle Alderman. He had been around to Bert's office a few days before to renew old acquaintance. You know, the election comes off in April. Well, Bert said he'd 'help me with Mike, because he had a grudge at him. I call that real scrubby in a friend, but why question the quality of the molasses when it catches the fly all right?

A Decoy Duck

I got Bert to propose to him—oh, no! not as my proxy—I mean to suggest to him that he make me one of his lieutenants. What could I do, did you say? The odor of Mike's reputation was rather pungent in our ward. That is, among a certain class, and—well, that class happened to be mine.

I didn't wait for the suggestion to be made, but pointed my extension soles in the direction of the abodes of my friends. I had seen quite a number of them when Bert came home to dinner, and, sure enough, there trailed Mike right after him. As a decoy duck Bert is a distinct success.

"Well, how do, Miss Wiggins?" said Mike. "I hear that you're thinking of helping me to mend my fences." Now, I hadn't said a thing about going out and mending anybody's fences or gates either, but I just smiled.

I gave a very interesting account of the friends upon whom I had called and assured him that they were all right guys. He grasped my hand and said, "What a wife you'd make for a statesman! By gum! If I can swing this deal, I'll sure want to take you into partnership forever."

That sounded to me like a bribe, but I didn't intend to do anything to queer the deal. I was out for the stuff and I didn't see why I shouldn't be somewhere in the vicinity when it came to divvy. Now, wouldn't you have found a place at the trough when it came feeding time?

Out to Make a Killing

I said in confidence to myself, "Bill, brace up and get hold of something as it goes round. Mount the plunging steeds in the political merry-go-round and capture all the rings on the hooks." And Bill said, "Bravo, I'll do it."

What is a city without a boodle Alderman, anyway? I might just as well be Mrs. Boodle when the big things are going.

Of course, Mike made his daily calls to see how his new delegate was fixing the fences in her neighborhood. I knew what that meant. Every time I had a great fairy story to relate about how Mrs. This and Miss That were nearly fracturing their cervical vertebrae in his cause, but when he asked me what were my arguments, I was silent. I told him that was my secret. So it was—so secret that I didn't even know it myself.

Did I tell you that Mike was a parody on boodle Aldermen so far as looks were concerned? He was neither big nor blustering. Neither did his tailor have to build any gores in the front of his vest. You'd think that the dapper little man with the slight dark mustache had just stepped out of the bandbox. His attire was as faultless as his eyes were honest. Oh, he had all the equipment for the business.

One night, after I had improvised more than usual on the good I had accomplished, he said: "Bill (notice the change?), gimme your hand. Me and you had ought to get hitched before the election. There ain't nobody that appreciates a smart woman any more than this here guy right here. I don't exactly know what we can do for a weddin' trip, since the Hepburn bill knocked the pass graft sky-west and crooked, but guess we can find honeymoon enough without crossin' the State line."

That night, when he tore himself away, he reached up—ye gods! think of it! UP—and gave me something that I suppose he called a kiss. He said that he'd had an awful good time and 'lowed it was the first time a petticoat had ever tripped up his brogans. He added, "Bill, we'll just set tight and the trip to Europe is your'n. I ain't much on handwrite, but I'll paint my John Hancock onto any check you'll fill in."

Up to Bill to Produce

To cinch that, I just stooped down and—well, I furnished him a model to build kisses on thereafter. That's one of the times where it was up to Bill to produce.

Well, I might as well tell you now how the bottom fell out. The fatal night when Mike insisted on my telling him some of the arguments I had used with his enemies! I shudder every time I think of it.

I related how I had told Mary Bradley, whose husband was one of the members of a reform club of some kind, the following facts: Mike was sure to win, because he was a live one. He had a bushel of hand-picked, husky repeaters that he could rush in at the last minute, if necessary. Mike's money barrel was of heroic proportions, and the free beer and free lunch in his ward was practically inexhaustible, and he had things fixed so that there was no possibility of a squeal in certain bribe transactions. I told him that I knew Mary's husband would be afraid not to vote for him, as he was sure to win.

Well, you can take it from me that when he got his breath he let out one of the yelliest yells I ever heard and retired from sight with the velocity of a bullet in a snowbank.

I don't care. Why should I know that he didn't want everybody to know how sure he was of winning?

Am I up stumpum? Oh, no! Just watch me.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Handy Things for Housewives to Know

FOR ironing days keep a right hand glove of thick leather with the ironing materials. It will be found a great protection for the palm of the hand. For housework take old street gloves and cut three slits in the backs of the gloves and one at the base of each thumb, following the line of stitching. This gives ample freedom in grasping articles while the palms and fingers are quite protected.

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Dried grass clippings, thoroughly sun dried in order to remove all possible dampness, make a soft pillow. Corn husks treated in a similar manner are splendid for porch pillows. Milkweed pods also are used for this purpose. Gather them when ready to burst, remove the seeds and centre to put down into your pillow for softness equal to those you purchase at the store. For hard, ornamental pillows fill with cotton batting all the slip will possibly hold. These you can stand anywhere. Excelsior and newspapers torn in tiny strips also are good and lighter in weight.

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A soft brush should be used to remove the cleaning agent from the tiny crevices of the silver.

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Add grated horseradish to taste to a plain cream sauce when served with baked fish.

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Old Swiss sash curtains when clean and mended make excellent sewing aprons. All they need is a tape run through the hem, and they are easily tied on when one is ready to sew.

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If fatigued by overexertion of body and mind try the reviving influence of a tumbler of milk, heated as hot as it can be sipped. Even though hot milk has lost all its flavor, the promptness with which its influence is felt is indeed surprising. Some portion of it seems to be digested and appropriated almost immediately.

First Aids When Baby Is Injured

A HOT bath up to the neck may often save the life of a child in convulsions if given in time. Test the heat of the water with the elbow if a thermometer is not on hand.

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Sometimes toothache can be relieved by painting the gums with a solution of one-half glycerin and one-half cloves. If there is a cavity in the tooth, saturate a small piece of absorbent cotton in oil of cloves, tincture of myrrh or laudanum, and place in the cavity.

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When a cut will not heal saturate a piece of absorbent cotton with coal oil and bind on.

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Sprains should be treated as soon as possible with hot water, after which rub with liniment.

Cook Book Free For Choice Recipes

THE writer of every recipe printed below receives a copy of the BOSTON AMERICAN Economy Cook Book, a substantial indexed blankbook of 120 pages, bound in heavy oilcloth, especially designed to preserve these recipe gems in permanent form. Address Economy Editor, BOSTON AMERICAN, No. 80 Summer street, Boston.

TOMATO SOUP

STRAIN one can of tomatoes, add pint of water and bring this to a boil. Then put piece of butter, size of egg, in another pan; melt and stir in two tablespoons of flour, to which you add tomato juice, salt and tablespoon of sugar.

MRS. C. E. BAILEY.
No. 3 Moreland street, Roxbury.

SCOTCH SODA SCONES

ONE and one-half cups of flour, one-half teaspoon of baking soda, one teaspoon of cream of tartar, piece of butter the size of an egg, a pinch of salt and a little sugar. Mix to a stiff dough with sweet milk and bake in a quick oven for about ten minutes. This is tried and is excellent.

MRS. CHARLES D. ELLIS.
No. 183 L street, South Boston.

MUTTON STEW

TWO pounds nice lean mutton; wash and put in boiling water; pepper and salt to taste; cut potatoes, carrots and onions of equal sizes and put in when meat is half done. Have a can of tomatoes opened one hour before using. Do not leave them in the can after opening. When vegetables are half done put in tomatoes. Chop parsley fine and add to it. This is excellent.

A. D. CONNELLY.
No. 175 Beacon street, Marlboro.

ORANGE MARMALADE

TAKE the whole of the peel of one-half dozen oranges and only the thin outer peel of another one-half dozen. Chop or slice very thin. Cut up the pulp, put with peel and add four quarts water, or in the proportion of one quart to a pound of fruit. Let stand over night. Then put on and boil two and one-half hours. Measure and take pint of sugar to each pint of fruit and boil two hours. Just before it is done add the juice of three lemons. If you like marmalade thicker boil longer than two hours." Use large oranges with a thin rind.

MRS. CHARLES W. RYAN.
No. 3 Branch street, Worcester.

BAKED INDIAN PUDDING

ONE quart of milk, brought to a boil; mix three rounding tablespoons of meal, one-half cup molasses, even teaspoon cassia, same of salt and one egg in your pudding dish and pour over the boiling milk, stirring thoroughly. Add one cup cold milk and bake two hours. Stir frequently until it gets nicely to baking.

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KILLS LITTLE DAUGHTER, THEN SHOOTS HIMSELF

DOUBLE TRAGEDY THE OUTCOME OF YOUNG FATHER AND MOTHER'S ESTRANGEMENT.

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—Captain George Van Pelt of Port Richmond, a member of one of the oldest families of Staten Island, last night shot and mortally wounded his eight-year-old daughter Ruth, as she sat on his lap, and then fired three bullets into his own head. He cannot live.

The shooting took place at the home of Mrs. Van Pelt's father, J. W. Campbell, where she has been living since she and her husband separated, three months ago.

Van Pelt is thirty-two years old and a captain of one of the Pennsylvania railroad tugs. He was married ten years ago.

Last evening Van Pelt was seen about the Campbell home. About 9 o'clock he went to the front door and rang the bell.

"I would like to see Ruth for a few minutes," Van Pelt said.

Mrs. Van Pelt has been afraid for some time that her husband would attempt violence toward herself and the child, and while she did not wish to admit him she feared to anger him. Therefore she said:

"Ruth is just going to bed, but you might see her for a little while. Come in."

Van Pelt entered and the child met him in the hallway. He bent to kiss her. He talked to her in a low voice and kissed her repeatedly. Suddenly he drew a 32-calibre revolver from his pocket and, pressing the muzzle against the child's abdomen, fired three times.

With a moan the little girl slipped from his lap to the floor. Mrs. Van Pelt and her father, who were in the hall, heard the shots and rushed into the room. Just as they entered Van Pelt stood up, placed the muzzle of the revolver against the back of his head and pulled the trigger three times. He fell to the floor, one arm falling across the child.

MAYOR DENIES LEAGUE STORY

Mayor Hibbard has addressed a letter to Dr. T. J. Dillon denying the published statements that the United Irish League sought to influence him to retain Matthew Cummings as superintendent of the street cleaning division.

"I am perfectly ready to deny," says the Mayor, "that any member of the United Irish League sought to influence me in any way in the matter of the removal of Mr. Matthew Cummings."

This statement by the Mayor was in response to a request from Dr. Dillon, who is president of Boston Central Council, U. I. L. It had been stated in the press that a delegation from the league waited upon Mr. Hibbard to urge the retention of Mr. Cummings.

SEEK MEDAL FOR BOY HERO

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 24.—Leading citizens are taking steps to secure for ten-year-old George Holt a Carnegie medal for his bravery in risking his life to save Alfred Osmond, fourteen years old, from drowning in the icy waters of Mashapaug Pond.

Osmond lost his balance and fell into the water. His cries attracted the attention of Thomas Saunders, a watchman, who rushed to his aid with a ladder. The ice along the edge of the pond, however, was not strong enough to bear Saunders's weight and the drowning boy was going down for the last time when George Holt crawled out on the ladder, while Saunders held the other end, and pulled the other lad to safety.

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PRIEST ILL, OFF TO WEST

Special to the Boston American.

WORCESTER, Feb. 24.—The Rev. Bernard S. Conaty of the Sacred Heart Church, one of the most prominent priests in this diocese, and often mentioned as a candidate for promotion to posts of honor in the Roman hierarchy, left to-day for Los Angeles, Cal., in search of health.

He has been ill for many months, and he takes this vacation at the solicitation of his brother, the Right Rev. T. J. Conaty, bishop of Los Angeles, who accompanies him to the coast. Yesterday afternoon he joined his brother in Taunton, their former home, both leaving that city for the West to-day. Father Conaty celebrated his silver jubilee in September.

DANCE TO-NIGHT TO AID CHURCH

The annual parish reunion of St. John's Catholic Church, North Cambridge, will be held in Odd Fellows' Hall this evening.

Rev. Father Murphy has arranged a programme which will include a concert by the young people of the church, which will be followed by whist and dancing. It has also been arranged to have some dances for the older parishioners, and a number of old time jigs and reels are down on the list.

The entire proceeds of the affair will be devoted to paying off the debt of the new church.

SAY MAN TRIED TO INCITE RIOT

Frederick Redman of No. 198 Dudley street to-day faces the charge of disturbing the peace and attempting to incite a riot.

About 8 o'clock last evening a citizen informed Policeman Doherty of Station 9 that there was a riot at Ziegler street and Harrison avenue. Arriving at the scene the officer saw a young man about twenty years knocking people down as if they were tenpins.

When arrested the young man did not offer any resistance.

BACHELOR GIRLS ARE GUESTS AT PARTY

Bachelor girls will be the guests of honor at the dance and card party to be given by the married members of the Professional Women's Club Thursday evening at the Hotel Somerset. The matrons play hostesses on this occasion in return for the hospitality of the bachelor girls at the Christmas party they gave the married women. The club is composed of musicians, vocal

SALESGIRL BRIDE OF RICH MAN'S SON

Mrs. Raymond Fowle, who is back at work after a long conference with young husband's parents yesterday.

BRIDE OF RICH MAN'S SON AT WORK IN STORE

Mrs. Raymond Fowle Sticks to Job as Salesgirl in Department Store.

Mrs. Raymond Fowle, the pretty Charlestown salesgirl who eloped with the scion of a wealthy Back Bay family two months ago and the news of whose marriage has just become known was at her usual place behind the jewelry counter of a large Washington street department store to-day, despite the fact that she and her youthful husband had a conference with his parents in the Hotel Westminster yesterday for the purpose of seeking forgiveness and adjusting matters. The conference evidently did not result satisfactorily to the young man and his salesgirl wife for she will continue to work for one dollar a day behind the store counter and she will continue to live with her grandfather, James Edes, at No. 117 Bunker Hill street, Charlestown.

"No one will ever know what happened at the conference but the four of us," said the pretty salesgirl to a BOSTON AMERICAN reporter to-day, as she stood behind the department store counter dusting the articles of jewelry in the showcases.

TEARS IN HER EYES.

Judging from her tone and manner, she was anything but happy, as, in her mind, she recalled the conference with her husband's parents. There were traces of tears in her big dreamy brown eyes as she talked. She had a dejected mien.

It is reported that her boy-husband's father, William P. Fowle, head of the big importing firm of James A. Hayes & Company, No. 11 Commercial street, has disinherited his son for his action in running off with a salesgirl and then keeping his marriage secret for nearly two months. The couple were married in Nashua, N. H., on December after a cold automobile drive.

The younger Mr. Fowle, who was learning his father's business in order to become his successor was not at the warerooms to-day when a BOSTON AMERICAN reporter called. The young man was receiving $6 a week while learning the business.

When asked by a BOSTON AMERICAN reporter over the 'phone if it was true that the family had disinherited their only son because of his secret marriage to Miss Hayes, Mrs. Fowle, from her apartments in the fashionable Westminster Hotel, replied, "I have nothing whatever to say."

James Edes, the salesgirl's grandfather, with whom she has lived during the past two years in Charlestown, said to a BOSTON AMERICAN reporter:

"Will Continue at Work."

"Mildred will continue to work in Boston and will also continue to live with me and my son. I understand that the elder Mr. Fowle is angry because of his son's action. What the future may bring forth I cannot say."

It is a matter of much conjecture just what [illegible] of the young couple will be for [illegible] is but twenty years old and has been entirely dependent on his father for support.

The young bride was much annoyed today by the stares [illegible] other girls who worked in the same store. When they learned of her presence in the store scores of the other girls suddenly discovered that they had business in the jewelry department. They remained long enough to get

GLADYS HAPPY, COUNT CROSS, ON HONEYMOON

Couple Avoid the Crowd at Plymouth by Clever Ruse; Are Now in London.

LONDON, Feb. 24.—The Count and Countess Szechenyi, who was Miss Gladys Vanderbilt, landed at Plymouth yesterday from the liner Kaiserin Auguste Victoria and proceeded immediately to this city.

By means of a clever trick, recalling the ruse employed at their wedding, they got ashore almost unnoticed.

They had concealed the place of their intended landing. While the other passengers filed down the gangway the bridal couple hid aft among the sailors, so that every one assumed that they intended to go on to Southampton or Cherbourg. But the moment before the tender left the Count and Countess made a breathless dash for the baggage gangway and got on board without attracting attention. The American correspondent saw the landing.

The Countess looked well and animated. She wore a long gray coat, gray hat, with a big feather, and carried her own jewel bag. The Count looked very much bored and unhealthy. He kept his hands in his pockets and coat collar upturned, apparently not particularly interested in life. He tipped the steward who carried his small handbag two dollars. No one met the pair at Plymouth, and they took the boat train to London.

HEART FAILURE KILLS WOMAN

Margaret H. Drohan, thirty-eight years of age, of No. 12 Mt. Vernon street, Dorchester, died suddenly early to-day from heart failure. Miss Drohan was a sister of Court Officer William H. Drohan of the South Boston Court. She was a graduate of the Notre Dame Academy and for a time was a teacher in St. Peter and Paul's Church School, South Boston. At the time of her death she was employed in the Municipal printing plant. The funeral will be held Wednesday from her residence and services will be in St. Margaret's Church, Columbia road, Dorchester, at 9 o'clock.

CONCERT NETS BIG SUM FOR CHARITY

The concert given by the Boston section of the Council of Jewish Women at the Colonial Theatre last night proved a great success, netting the organization a substantial sum to aid it in its philanthropic work. The program consisted of numbers by T. Adamowski, violinist; Louis Bachner, pianist; Mrs. Bertha Cushing Child, contralto, and Warren G. Richards, reader.

JOHN D. LONG GIVES PRAISE TO THE NAVY

John D. Long, ex-secretary of the navy, addressed the Boston Young Men's Christian Union last evening upon the topic, "The Navy in Politics," and his words of praise and admiration for [illegible] ments of the American [illegible] enthusiastic applause of his [illegible] which was one of the largest ever crowded

New Easy Method to Pop the Question: A Proposal Now in Every Hand Shake

Professor Frank Parsons Comes to the Rescue of Patient Maids.

Professor Frank Parsons, director of the Breadwinners' College, is the hero of the hour with the many marriageable New England maids who have waited so long for this golden opportunity to pop the question on their bashful sweethearts, but who hesitate knowing that it will be four long years before they get another chance.

Mr. Parsons has taken up the subject of "Points of Courtship" and all the young lady will have to do now is to press her suitor's hand, not too hard and not too soft, and he will know right away that it means "will you be mine?"

Even if the young man is one of the real bashful brand who even keeps his hands under cover the young lady may flash the message with her eyes. The road to marriage is certainly made easy by this new plan and some of the long waiting girls will probably be able to propose by a simple sweet smile.

The Kissing Part Also

The kissing part of the courtship also plays an important part and Mr. Parsons says this should not be overdone. This, of course, will seem an impossibility, but the pointers are welcomed by them, and it is now up to the girls to educate the handshake.

Mr. Parsons gave his talk in the Civic Service House on Salem street and after giving those present these useful instructions took up the new Business Man's Association, whose purpose it is to reduce the city's debt and to stamp out the graft in the local politics.

Read These Carefully

"Love appears to me to be a sort of human gravitation law," said the Professor.

"You know, in the real law of gravitation, mass has something to do with the subject. In this human law, mass has no part. I do not believe Secretary Taft could love any better than President Roosevelt.

"Rosy health is Cupid's best asset. Vivacity and Good Disposition follow closely upon this first law of Courtship. Ability and Good Looks are also important.

"I have seen a lot of girls do up their hair in such a way as to suggest insanity. When they bring a great hump right on top they make their head suggest the typical shape of a lunatic's.

"Grace of Movement and the Voice itself, have much to do with furthering a successful and happy courtship."

With reference to the new association of the business men of Boston, Professor Parsons said:

"The city of Cleveland has the reputation of being the best governed city in the country now, and the credit is due partly to its efficient Mayor and partly, also, to the organization of business men there.

"The newly formed Boston association will try to develop the manufacturing industries of the city and will pay special attention to skilled labor.

"New England is supreme in two things. We have better educated people here and higher skilled artisan labor than anywhere else in the country. By means of these two assets Boston can hope to be the leading centre of the United States in artistic and scientific products. Boston can developed until she is the Paris of America.

"The independent checking of the city officials by skilled experts, hired by the business men of the city, would make government by commission, as has been much talked of of late, absolutely unnecessary.

"We could, under this checking system, compare what it was actually costing us to run the city, with the accounts of experts as to what it ought to cost, and in that way graft and incompetency would surely be eliminated.

"The movement is so broad and takes in so many business men that there would be no chance for graft among the men involved or among the experts employed.

"By means of government by a commission we should lose a part of our Democracy. By the system employed successfully in Cleveland, our Democratic ideals are preserved."

COURTSHIP POINTERS FOR LEAP YEAR MAIDS

This is leap year. A girl can propose with her handshake or with the look of her eye just as well as if she said, "I think the world and all of you."

The handshake is an immensely important thing. Don't shake hands with a clammy or wet hand. If you have to sandpaper it to keep it dry. And don't have a cold hand or a listless hand.

Let your soul go out through your eyes right into the girl's eyes. Don't, however, do it by the hour. Else she'll think you're crazy. It must not be a sham, but the real thing. You want to know what is in the soul of the one you are going to marry.

It is a great mistake in courtship to overdo the kissing part of it. Nothing tends to kill a first-class affection quicker than this.

Professor Frank Parsons in "Points on Courtship."

10 DAYS SINCE HARRY THAW'S WIFE SAW HIM

Evelyn, Despite Denials of Estrangement, Stays Away From Matteawan.

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—Despite the daily announcements of Evelyn Thaw that she would visit her husband Harry at Matteawan, she has not seen him in ten days and those, heretofore skeptical about the estrangement, are now convinced the couple are parted.

The detectives employed by Harry Thaw are still on his wife's trail and everything she does is reported. His men send him daily reports and he is as well informed about her actions as if he were in New York. Notwithstanding Dan O'Reilly and Evelyn Thaw have denied the breach, lawyers for Mrs. William K. Thaw are going ahead arranging the terms by which the couple will be permanently separated. It is said on excellent authority that the young millionaire is slowly getting around to his mother's way of thinking and it is not believed there will be any opposition on his part when annulment proceedings are finally begun.

[illegible] Thaw and Lawyer Peabody spent two hours with the patient yesterday after he had attended divine service in the theatre. Thaw took part in the congregational singing at the service. Mrs. Thaw appeared to be ill, and was supported by a maid when she alighted from her carriage at the hospital and again when she re-entered it.

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M'GUIRE AFTER HARD HITTERS

Manager McGuire of the Red Sox, who arrived from the West yesterday, got down to business this morning at the club's offices in the Old South Building. Many fans dropped in on the Deacon to shake his hand and wish him luck.

The way McGuire figures now the Red Sox will line up at the start outside of the batteries is: Unglaub, first base; Laporte, second base; Wagner, shortstop, and Lord, third base; Thoney, left field; Barrett, centre field, and Gessler, right field.

That Sullivan isn't given a regular berth will surprise many, but the Red Sox need hitters as well as fast fielders, and McGuire is after a heavy batting team.

George Winter will not likely go South with the team, as he is not in good health, but will report when the season opens.

"Everything looks good for baseball here," said the Deacon. "The reports I have had from Barrett were encouraging also. He was coming along splendidly toward the end of last season, and I was not surprised when he told me that he was having absolutely no trouble with his leg.

"There are so many men that I haven't them all in mind just now but in the thirty men whom we shall take South you can rely on it that the team will have the pick of its recruits. I do not anticipate any trouble in signing up Thoney and Gessler. These two should do well in the outfield, and I expect to play Barrett between them.

"I understand that we play here from April 14 till the 22d, which will give the boys a chance to get a good start. That is a great deal better than starting away from home, and taking a lot of new boys into a city where their hearts are so set on making good that they cannot do themselves justice."

Thirty men will comprise the squad at Little Rock, and although McGuire has made the selection of first nine already, each man will have a try out.

Dantz, Madden and Ryan will be released to Portland, Ore.; Delmas to Los Angeles, and Peterson to Providence. Other trades and releases will be given out to-day or arranged for at the meeting in New York this week.

President Taylor is due to arrive home to-day.

FRED TENNEY ACCEPTS OFFER OF THE GIANTS

Fred Tenney has decided to accept the compromise offer of the Giants and will leave for New York to-morrow, and on Wednesday, in company of several of McGraw's men, will start for Marlin Springs, Texas.

The veteran Hub first sacker looks in fine shape now and has been taking exercise all Winter. He says that although sorry to leave Boston, he will prove that he is far from all in and will do first class work in Gotham.

BROWN'S BASEBALL SQUAD.

PROVIDENCE, Feb. 24.—Coach Sexton has ordered the candidates for the Brown nine to report to-day. The Brown battery this year will be Nourse and Raymond, and the outlook is said to be bright, although the team will of necessity be made up mostly of new men. The places of seven veterans will have to be filled and this will be found difficult.

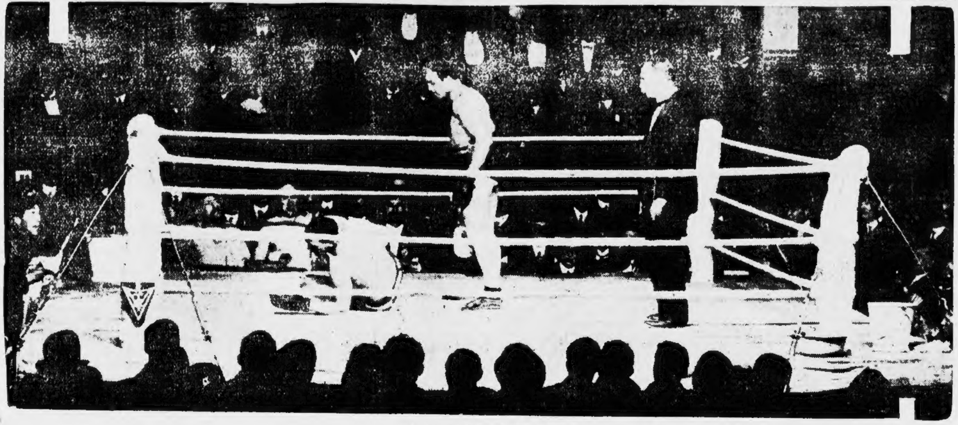
DOVES OPEN HERE APRIL 22.

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—According to the major league schedules, as now arranged, it is said there will be no conflicting dates in Boston the coming season. The first home game of the Boston Nationals will be with Philadelphia, April 22.

THREE HOLD LEADS.

The third week of the class C billiard tourney at the Hub Palace finds Crompton, Campbell and Smith in the lead and undefeated. To-night Crompton will play Klucken.

PALMER OF ENGLAND TAKING COUNT AFTER BURNS HAD BATTERED HIM HELPLESS IN FOURTH ROUND



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THIS is the first photograph printed in America of Tommy Burns's remarkably easy victory over the English fighter. The Briton succumbed after receiving a terrible beating, during which he was repeatedly knocked down. Palmer was so totally outclassed, he never landed an effective blow. The picture shows distinctly the smallness of the ring in the Wonderland Club of London. The ring was but fourteen feet square, making it impossible for Palmer to escape the American's blows by running away.

GUARANTEED PURSES CAN'T BE GIVEN

While the Turf Congress of the National Trotting Association passed the rule compelling tracks to settle all guaranteed stakes, wherein the nominators have paid in through instalments more than the guaranteed amount, the excess must go to the winners of the stakes, evidently intended to include all classes offered by racing associations closing on the instalment plan, yet they left a big loophole in only stating stake races, so the shrewd ones declare, as in the future the tracks will offer guaranteed purses, and the turf papers futurity purses, which will let them by in keeping the excess moneys.

With this view of the problem the New England Breeders' Association can go ahead after its annual meeting March 3 and offer its usual six early closing events, calling them purses of a guaranteed sum each, and matters will remain on exactly the same standing as in former years.

President J. M. Johnson says the association needs the excess money taken in nominations above the guarantee to insure a paying Grand Circuit meeting, there always being a deficit in the fast classes to make up, etc.

McLEAN WILL MEET DELMONT.

Ike McLean, the Hudson bantam, is suffering from a heavy cold just at present, but says just as soon as he recovers he will be ready to match up with Albert Delmont and will meet him at his own terms.

In Bout With Jim Jeffries Majority of Fans

PICK JOHN L. TO WIN

By TAD.

Could Jim Jeffries have beaten John L. Sullivan when the latter was in his prime is a question that has never been voted on by the public at large.

The BOSTON AMERICAN has asked for opinions from the different sporting enthusiasts and they are coming in by the hundreds. Of course we cannot print all of the letters, but will show up as many as possible.

Jeffries has a great many supporters, of course, but John L. has more admirers. From the way the letters come in every two out of three claim that John L. would have won. There are very few, however, who have seen Sullivan perform, while thousands and thousands have seen Jeff stripped and in action.

The very first letter that arrived to-day was from Frank Hall, who manages Sullivan, and who is at present in New York with the ex-champion. He writes as follows:

NEW YORK, Feb. 22, 1908.

Dear Tad—In reply to your article I would say that if Mr. Jeffries can show anything like the record that John L. does then he can carry away the palm.

Jeffries was in the ring seven years and in that time knocked out but fifteen men. In one year, while touring the country, Sullivan beat [illegible] men in less than four rounds each.

Jeffries tried to beat Armstrong and O'Donnell in ten rounds apiece. He fought the one man and then claimed to have broken his hand. On a tour he failed to stop Jack Munroe in four rounds. Results tell the story, not talk. Very truly yours, FRANK HALL,
Manager John L. Sullivan.

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Dear Tad—The principal thing I notice is that most of the Sullivan fellows judge Jeffries by his earlier fights with Corbett and Sharkey. Now, Jeffries was not naturally an aggressive fighter and was slow to come to his "prime," and at the time of those two fights he was scarcely out of the novice class. If the Sullivan admirers could have seen him the last time he fought Corbett, when it was said he "outboxed and out-scienced" even Corbett, I think they would have formed a different opinion. And at that, nobody knows, or probably ever will know, how much Jeff had "up his sleeve."
Yours, I. J.

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Mr. Tad—It would be a dead heat between Jeff and John L. Why, little Joe Walcott could beat either one of them, and he only weighed 142. Both Sullivan and Jeff beat a lot of old men. Jeff beat Ruhlin, Jackson, Fitz and Corbett, all much older than himself and pretty far gone. John L. beat Joe Goss, aged forty-four, Paddy Ryan, aged thirty, Steve Taylor, aged forty-six, and John Donaldson, aged forty. John L. was twenty [illegible] at the time. Was[illegible] it soft? Jeff fought three old [illegible] men, but when a young man came along he retired. Save! Mister Johnson doped for good.
Yours, OLD FELIX.

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Dear Tad—Sullivan never did and never could class with Jim Jeffries as a fighter. They talk of Sullivan's great punch. Why do you think that Kilrain would have stayed seventy-five rounds with Jeffries? Do you think that Charlie Mitchell, a middleweight, would have fought Jeffries a thirty-nine-round draw? Do you think that either Kilrain or Mitchell would have had a chance with Fitz, Maher, Choynski or Sharkey? Jim Corbett beat them both easily and he couldn't punch any harder than an old apple lady. Yours truly,
CHARLES F. DUNN.

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Dear Tad—Straight, place and show on Jeff. John L. was too slow, too small and too light for the great Jeffries. ALBERT ROGAL.

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Dear Tad—Sullivan was easily the better man. He was tougher, could mix and never backed up. If Jeff couldn't beat little Sharkey, what chance would he have with John L.?
Yours, sincerely, GEORGE JOHNSON.

Dear Tad—Nothing to it but Sullivan. Jeff couldn't stop old Bob Armstrong, and Sullivan licked [illegible] like [illegible] in a week. For twelve years Sullivan toured the country looking for an opponent. There was none. Jeff quit the game with Johnson unbeaten. Sullivan was a fighter, not a boxer. He would have broken Jeff's [illegible] on his jaw. He was the noblest Roman of them all and the greatest fighter the world has ever seen. Yours truly,
JACK DONOHUE.

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BOSTON, Feb. 21, 1908.

Dear Tad—Reading your article regarding "How a fight would terminate between such gladiators as J. L. Sullivan and James J. Jeffries" would say I should positively pick Jeffries for the winner.

My reason for same is that he is possessed of great strength and science combined, where J. L. could boast of strength only. Outside that, he's all right. A. S. M.

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Dear Tad—Really this Mr. Squires case is causing me not a little anxiety. Don't you suppose there is any truth to the report that it is he and not Jeff that is marooned on Indefatigable Island? On the level, Tad, why [illegible] we get out a search warrant and secure [illegible]. It is just possible that the "Bosh[illegible]" one may be numbered among the residents there. Apropos of your recent discussion, he has my G. O. A. T.
South End.

P. S.—Have recently purchased an alarm clock on your advice.

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NORTH EASTON, Mass., Feb. 22.

Mr. Tad: Dear Sir—With Sullivan in his prime and well trained he would have won from Jeffries at his best, as it is well known that Sullivan never trained much for his fights.
N. B.

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Dear Tad—You ask for opinions on the abilities of Jeffries vs. Sullivan. My answer is: If Charlie Mitchell had been two pounds bigger he would have beat the pair in the same ring.
J. K. TWIN.

FAST AMATEUR SKATERS IN 6-DAY RACE

One of the largest fields ever seen in a skate race will start in the big six-day amateur race at the Park Square Rink to-morrow night. All the best "pures" in New England will be on the mark ready to try for honors in the endurance test and twelve teams have entered for the hard event.

There is much interest in the event as there will be some new comers whose ability to skim the surface is unknown, while the recognized fast ones will have their hands full in such a big gathering.

The Costello brothers, representing the Boston team, look to be the favorites as they have made good in many of the weekly races held at the rink. The teams are as follows:

Boston team—E. F. Costello and T. F. Costello.
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Braintree team—M. Hennessey and J. A. O'Connell.
Park Square team—Fred Spicer and R. J. MacDonald.
Yiddish team—H. J. Foley and F. Betts.
New York team—G. Merrill and J. English.
Western team—R. Jackson and C. W. Baker.
Canadian team—F. Chappell and C. R. McCarron.
Irish team—J. J. Casey and M. J. McKinnon.
Hub team—Joseph Sullivan and H. H. Strachan.
Back Bay team—E. Fox and E. Baker.
Malden team—I. B. White and Joe Rosenthal.

SMITH AFTER BOUTS.

Billy Smith of the North End wants to meet any featherweight in New England, and prefers Billy Green of the North End or Tommy Murray of Jamaica Plain.

FAST BOUT CARDED AT ARMORY A.A.

PRINCIPAL BOUTS CARDED THIS WEEK

MONDAY.

Jim Driscoll vs. Charley Griffin, London, Eng.; Jim Donovan vs. Jack Fitzgerald, Philadelphia; Peter Sullivan vs. Clarence English, Rock Springs, Wyo.

TUESDAY.

Jim Bonner vs. Billy Glover, Armory A. A.; Willie Fitzgerald vs. George Brown, Reading, Pa.; Fred Bradley vs. Kid Williams, New York; Henry Miers vs. Eddie Harrigan, Portland, Me.

WEDNESDAY.

Billy Burke vs. J. Willis, Vallejo, Cal.; Jack Goodman vs. Battling Hurley, New York.

THURSDAY.

Kid Shea vs. Arthur Cote, Augusta, Me.; Billy Glover vs. Jeff Doherty, Bridgeport, Ct.; Jimmy Briggs vs. Dick Nelson, Lymansville, R. I.

FRIDAY.

Johny Lynch vs. Jimmy Moran, New Orleans; Willie Lewis vs. Jim Donovan, Schenectady, N. Y.; Abe Attell vs. Eddie Kelly, San Francisco.

SATURDAY.

Willie Fitzgerald vs. Unk Russell, Philadelphia.

There is a great deal of talk about town relative to the show at the Armory Athletic Association to-morrow evening, and every indication points to one of the most evenly balanced shows that was ever decided in New England.

The main bout of ten rounds, where Jim Bonner, the fast lightweight from Philadelphia, faces Billy Glover of South Boston, should furnish royal sport from the start to the finish.

The very fact that Bonner established his reputation at one jump by his remarkable showing against Dave Deshler has made him one of the most talked about sparrers that ever appeared in New England, and every one is anxious to find out if he will sustain this reputation when opposed by a strong capable fellow like the South Boston lad.

That these lads will give a fast and satisfactory exhibition is generally acknowledged, and with the two other fast ten round bouts that are carded there should be plenty of enjoyment for those who are fortunate enough to be members.

In the open bout of ten rounds Fred Chisholm of Everett will face Patsy Kline of New York, and these pair of gamecocks should put up an excellent exhibition.

The second contest brings together Willie Reilly of South Boston and Kid Sheehan of Manchester, and those who know the capabilities of these boys realize that they will put up a grand bout.

NO BOUT IN NEW ORLEANS

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 24.—With Jim Flynn already in the city and Jimmy Barry expected to-night, the new Coliseum Club has been refused a permit by city authorities and the match is off. attempt will be made to match them fore the Southern A. C.

MEELICK TAKES DERBY.

OAKLAND, Cal., Feb. 24.—A large crowd at the Emeryville track saw the running of the California Derby, the principal event for the three-year division and season. There was not much of a contest. Meelick won easily. After a slight delay at the post the horses were sent away to a perfect start. Meelick immediately jumped to the front and ran away from the field, winning from wire to wire.

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RACE TRACK BETTING NOT HELP TO TROTTING SPORT

In saying the following, John Splan strikes straight from the shoulder regarding the effect of anti-betting laws on racing:

"I don't believe adverse legislation as to betting, etc., is going to affect the trotting horse industry. It may shorten the revenue at the associations in that particular, but in stopping the betting we will get rid of the element that follow pool selling, and if we get rid of that element we are sure to attract the better element that is opposed to that sort of thing, and would enjoy racing if they knew nothing of that kind was going on.

"Now, I don't want to put myself into the class of reformers; I don't want to join the big stick brigade, but I don't believe that the harness horse game depends entirely for its success on the betting element.

"I know the men that take the most active part in it, who are willing to buy the horses and pay the best price for them, never thought of betting in any way, shape or manner.

"August Uihlein, who bought the Harvester lately for $50,000, is a plain example of that kind of men. He has raised, bought and sold and raced trotters ever since I can remember, and I have never heard him talk about betting anything stronger than a new hat or a good dinner. These are the kind of men that will take an interest in trotting when the gambling element gets ready to stay away.

"The breeding industry for the trotter in this country was never in better shape. A first-class animal will bring a good price; cheap things never were worth anything, and the sooner breeders make up their minds to that fact the better it will be for the horse business, as it will make everybody breed a good horse when they find nothing else will get them the money."

Notes of the Harness Horses

Members of the Metropolitan Driving Club have a new treasurer in Charles W. Dow, Summer street. Additions are coming into the club so rapidly that he finds the office quite a busy one. Mr. Dow, too, takes a position on the board of directors.

John Lannehan believes it poor policy for any driving club to offer the number of prizes that the Dorchesters have the coming season, as he is afraid there will be a loss in rivalry with the opportunity of easily gaining a trophy. He says that next Winter every resident of Dorchester owning a speedway horse will have a cup to show their friends; thus, the real value of winning one will have been lost. On this account he announces the disposal of his matinee horses, which include Budweiser, 2:18¼, J. W. L., and Helen Dare.

It is suggested that a copy of the officials of the Dorchesters be sent A. M. Newbert, as recently at the meetings of the club he has been mixing up the officials in calling members on the board of directors as belonging to the race committee, etc.

George G. Hall of the Adams House has sold his trotting mare, Bessie H., 2:14¼, much to the regret of Frank Hall, who had visions of winning matinee races with her at Readville next Summer.

For the first time in its history the Mets will have a press representative this year, Wilbur Dunt-ley having been appointed to the office with a salary of $50 per annum. That it pays is shown by the Dorchesters having had Ed Richardson in that capacity the past few years at $2 per week, while A. B. Wood does the press work for the Lynns for a tidy sum.

The first driving club in the country was organized at Cleveland in 1895. Columbus came next in the list of matinee clubs in 1896. The Gentlemen's Driving Club of Boston was incorporated in 1899, and then the driving clubs sprang up in abundance East and West. The second driving club Canterbury Girl, 2:20¼, the pacing mare that in New England was the Dorchesters. won in the intercity snow races for the Concord (N. H.) Club a year ago at Charles River speedway, is now the property of a member of the Dorchesters, and is in line for the pacing trophy for the horse winning the most races this year that never before started at Franklin Field speedway.

Fred C. Garmon is now a director of the Mets, having been elected to the office at the last business meeting of the club.

The position of secretary requires so much time and work that the Mets have voted a yearly salary of $100 with the office. The way things are booming at present in the club clearly shows there will be more horses take the word in the matinees this year than ever before, and the membership will be increased proportionately.

The champion challenge cup in the Gentlemen's Driving Club has been contested for nine seasons, the conditions being that an owner has to win three times before getting the trophy. John Shepard has won it twice, as has C. H. Bellows with horses he owned.

Alfred G. Vanderbilt has sent to London, England, eighty-five trotting-bred carriage horses to be used during the Spring months on the famous Brighton road, in England, in connection with Mr. Vanderbilt's coaching project.

Frank Doble, who in the old days of general racing in New England was prominent over the local tracks, has been engaged by Henry A. Brehm, proprietor of the Prospect Park, Baltimore, to handle his racing stable this year.

While Major P. P. Johnson is president of the National Trotting Association, all his interests are wholly with the runners, as he is a breeder of thoroughbreds, proprietor of a stable of runners, and is one of the owners of a weekly paper devoted to their interests. It seems to trotting horsemen in general that one of their number ought to be the head of the organization, in place of a running horseman.

Trainer Billy Andrews is going to race the $17,500 pacing stallion Blacklock, 2:04½, the coming season.

The partnership between Walter Bates and Louis Tewhart has been dissolved by mutual agreement, Mr. Bates retaining the horses Emma E., 2:09, B[illegible], 2:17¼, and a couple of colts.

BIG MAT BOUT AT COLUMBIA

Manager Farren of the Columbia has brought some of the cleverest and strongest wrestlers of the world to his theatre since the inauguration of his wrestling nights, but it is doubtful if any of the mat artists will come in for the same share of attention as Cazeaux, the big Frenchman, who tackles Yankee Rogers Wednesday night.

If Yankee Rogers makes a good showing against the French champion it will give the local fans a chance to dope out Gotch's chances of winning from Hackenschmidt when the American and Russian face each other in their coming contest. Cazeaux and the Russian lion met and it took the mighty Hackenschmidt over two hours before he could get the Frenchman on his shoulders. When Steurs and the Frenchman met last summer in France the Belgian was put away in less than fifteen minutes. Yankee Rogers accomplished the same feat in less time. Now it remains to be seen what kind of a battle the Yankee boy will give the muscular Cazeaux.

Cazeaux is anxious to meet Gotch, Londin, Beell and other American heavyweights if he is successful at the Columbia Wednesday evening.

AUTO'S HARD TRIP.

MICHIGAN CITY, Ind., Feb. 24.—The American automobile in the race from New York to Paris left Rolling Prairie, sixteen miles east, at 3:45 o'clock and was within two miles of Michigan City last night, struggling through snowdrifts, assisted by men and horses.

O'BRIEN'S CLUB WON'T OPEN.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 24.—Billy McCarney, who, backed by "Philadelphia Jack" O'Brien, was to have opened a new club in West Philadelphia to-night close to the latter's home, has been refused a permit by the authorities.

HARVARD VS. PRINCETON.

Harvard's crippled basketball five will play the Tigers at Princeton to-day. The Crimson team is in bad shape and doesn't expect to return home a winner.

CHAMP GAME WEDNESDAY.

The Boston high school basketball championship will be decided Wednesday, when Dorchester High and Boston Latin meet on the Roxbury High court.

LACROSSE AT HARVARD.

Harvard's lacrosse players will report to-day to Captain Vance in the Hemenway Gym. Twenty-five candidates will try for the team and the prospects are bright.

COLUMBIA WILL PLAY HARVARD

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—Manager W. D. Murphy of the Columbia soccer team announced the completed schedule for the Spring season. The following games are supplementary to the regular intercollegiate series which was announced several days ago:

February 26, Boys' Club Freebooters, at South Field; February 29, Staten Island at South Field; March 3, S. S. Mauretania at South Field; March 6, Pennsylvania at Philadelphia; March 7, Haverford at Haverford; March 11, Pratt Institute at South Field; March 14, Yale at New Haven; March 17, Springfield Training School at South Field; March 21, Cornell at South Field; March 24, S. S. Celtic at South Field; March 28, Harvard at Cambridge.

A. A. U. LIFTS SHEPPARD'S BAN

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 24.—The registration committee of the Middle Atlantic Association of the Amateur Athletic Union has exercised the spirit of mercy or something else in the case of Melvin Sheppard, the New York runner, who was disqualified for fouling Haskins in a meet in this city some weeks ago.

Although the committee declared that Sheppard would be kept under the ban until the full time had expired, a sudden switch was made to-day so as to allow Sheppard to compete in some games in New York on March 3.

Instead of the suspension expiring at midnight on March 3, it has been changed to 9 o'clock that evening.

VOLKMANN FOR CHAMPIONSHIP

The Volkmann School athletes have a good chance to repeat their performance of last year and capture the interscholastic championship at the track meet Saturday in Mechanics' building. Worcester Academy and Exeter will be their main rivals.

HARVARD FIELDERS AT WORK.

The fielding squad of the Harvard nine will begin work to-day. The men will be given batting practice early next week. The pitchers have been out for about two weeks. Their work will continue under the direction of Coaches Pieper and Castle.

CANTILLON SAYS SENATORS WON'T BE TAILENDERS

Manager Joe Cantillon of the Washington American League team has this to say about the players he will put on the diamond this year: "Our pitching staff looks very good. In fact I am satisfied on that point. Hughes, Falkenberg, Patten and Smith will do. They tell me I have a find in Burns, my new left-hander. Then I have Cates of Oakland and Oberlin, both of whom I think a great deal of. Blankenship, the catcher, writes that he will not come East. He wants to play on the Coast, but he may come here after all. If not we have Street to take his place, and the latter is a far better man than either Blank or Heydon. Besides we have Jack Warder and Kahoe, both good backstops. In McBride I believe we have secured a fine shortstop, while in Freeman I have a crackerjack first baseman. Altizer will play third base, which will bolster up that corner of the diamond, while Pickering will be a tower of strength in the outfield. I believe the Washingtons will beat out at least three of the American League teams." In spite of this prediction, however, baseball sharps appear to be unanimous in the opinion that Cantillon's team will be a tailender as usual, in which event the club will look for a new manager next Fall.

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Colonel Dreyfuss of the Pittsburg club is having his own troubles these days. His crack third baseman, Tommy Leach, refused to sign a contract some time ago unless he received a big increase in salary, and now comes the authentic report that Hans Wagner, the great shortstop, will not play ball with the Pittsburgs again under any circumstances.

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Charley Nichols, the former Boston pitcher, says that Catcher John Kling of the Chicago Cubs is the best backstop he ever saw, and he does not bar Charley Bennett, who was his receiver for years. Nichols admits that he never saw Buck Ewing in his prime, but he says he cannot believe that Ewing was ever a better catcher than the Chicago star. Other veterans, however, who did see Ewing differ with Nichols. Ned Hanlon, for instance, has often declared that Ewing was the greatest catcher that ever put on a uniform, and Hanlon has seen all the crack ball players that have come and gone in the last thirty years. In praising Kling, Nichols says: "He is a thorough student of the game and he outguesses the opposing base-runners more often than they outguess him. He has a quick and easy throwing motion, is accurate and the ball is always easy for the infielders to handle. Kling never overlooks a point. He is so quiet on the field that much of his cleverest work goes unnoticed by the critics. He is a fine batsman and a fast base runner. There is no doubt about his superiority as a catcher to-day, and I don't believe there ever was his equal." George Davis said the other day that Catcher Billy Sullivan of the Chicago White Sox was not only Kling's superior, but was also the best backstop in the country.

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Frank Chance, manager of the world's champion Chicago team, has a number of suggestions to make to his fellow-members of the National League's Rules Committee when they meet in New York on next Tuesday. It is Chance's opinion that only the players who are actually in the game should be allowed in the coacher's box. This will prevent umpire-baiting, he contends, as well as other undesirable things.

"I know players not actually in the game," Chance says, "who have been sent to the coaching line with the instructions to try to bait the umpire, even though he did run a chance of being sent to the club house. That is all wrong.

"I don't think they should change the pitcher's box. The present regulation is working all right, to my notion, and why not let well enough alone? If they were to level the pitcher's mound I believe every twirler in the league would have a sore arm for at least one season, for the change would surely bring a strain.

"The proposition to restrict the pitchers from soiling new balls is a good one. Of course, the mound artists say a new ball is hard to handle, but I do not think it is necessary to delay the game by rooting up all of the sod on the lot with it for the alleged purpose of wearing off the gloss. It is disgusting to the patrons of the game and unnecessary."

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MAGNATES WILL ADOPT SCHEDULES THIS WEEK

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NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—During this week the club owners of the National and American Leagues will meet in this city to finish up the business necessary to be transacted prior to the opening of the season of 1908. After everything is settled the magnates will make their farewell bows and leave the field to the players. In other words, after next week baseball will no longer be played in the hotel corridors, but on the diamond, where the game interests the fans the most.

President Harry Pulliam has called the National League to meet on February 26 at the Waldorf-Astoria, and President Ban Johnson settled upon the Hotel Breslin as the American League's meeting place on the same date as the senior League. This was done to facilitate intercourse on all matters that will require joint action and approval by the two leagues.

These two meetings are really the most important baseball gatherings of the year, as they bring to definite conclusion all the proposed legislation of the Fall and Winter. At these meetings the playing schedules for the season will be arranged and the rules formulated under which not only the major leagues, but the entire baseball world will play during the coming season.

Schedules Are Ready.

President Johnson has announced that the American League schedule has been completed, and that it has been built on last year's lines. President Pulliam, who has been residing in Canada since he fired his broadside regarding the action of the minor leagues in passing their "Unamerican, Russian blacklist resolution," has given out nothing regarding the National League schedule, except to say that there will be no more, and possibly fewer, conflicting dates between the two leagues than there were last season.

President Herrmann has called a special meeting of the National Commission, to be held before the two leagues begin their sessions. This indicates that the Supreme Court of baseball realizes the importance of acting upon the advice of Pulliam to make the minor league members who made the error of blacklisting players without a hearing by means of what they term "an ineligible list" to either attempt to explain their action or to confess they blundered in strengthening Pulliam's case. President P. T. Powers of the National Association, and Secretary H. Farrell are expected to appear before the Commission and explain that the minor leaguers will not attempt to enforce this unfair piece of legislation and have agreed to abide by the decisions of the Commission.

Few Changes in Rules.

The joint rules committee of the National and American leagues will hold its annual meeting during the sessions of the leagues. The National League members of the committee are President Pulliam and Manager Frank Chance of the Chicago Cubs and Billy Murray of Philadelphia. Representing the American are President Comiskey of the Chicago White Sox and Managers Clark Griffith of New York and Connie Mack of the Athletics. As usual, many changes in the playing rules have been suggested during the Winter. As the magnates think the fans are well satisfied with the present rules, it is likely that few changes will be made. One applies to the soiling of new balls by pitchers by rubbing them on the grass, and thereby delaying the games, to the annoyance of the spectators.

OFFER AUTOS AS MOTOR CORPS IN TIME OF TROUBLE

By J. C. KERRISON.

With the departure for Florida of Robert Lee Morrell, chairman of the contest committee of the Automobile Club of America, and Secretary Samuel M. Butler the series of big automobile events for the coming year may be said to have virtually begun. Mr. Morrell and Mr. Butler, with the members of the Florida East Coast Automobile Association, will be busy during the coming week completing arrangements for the annual speed contests on the Ormond Beach, which will be held during the first week in March, the first events to be run off one week from to-morrow. Following close upon Ormond will come the two days' stock car racing at Savannah. With the closing of this meet and the return of the drivers North practice will begin over the Briarcliff Cup course in Westchester county for the long distance race there on April 24.

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The Quaker City Automobile Club, through its secretary, has forwarded to President Roosevelt resolutions offering to the national Government in times of need the use of the automobiles of the members of the organization. The same offer is made to the city of Philadelphia and the State of Pennsylvania. The members of the club hope the offer will be accepted and that a volunteer motor organization will be organized throughout the country. The resolutions in part are as follows:

"We, the Quaker City Motor Club, do hereby propose to enlist and enroll from among our members in good standing a sufficient number of capable and able-bodied men, who shall agree to act as a volunteer motor corps.

"This volunteer motor corps is to offer its services and machines, through the Quaker City Motor Club, free to the city of Philadelphia, the State of Pennsylvania and the United States Government as an auxiliary force in all cases of urgent need or dire necessity for the suppression of lawlessness and insurrection or in the graver duty of repulsing foreign invasion in time of war.

"The Quaker City Motor Club is only actuated by true patriotism and love of country, and we most humbly pray your best consideration and prompt acceptance of this sincere proposal."

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Jefferson De Mont Thompson, chairman of the racing board of the American Automobile Association, has consented to act as referee of the economy contest to be held Tuesday by the Long Island Automobile Club. Nineteen entries have been received for the test, which is certain to be a severe one, as the conditions call for a run of 242 miles, from Brooklyn to Montauk Point and return, and this distance must be completed by all cars, to be eligible for the three prizes, between the hours of 6 o'clock in the morning and 12 o'clock at night, an allowance of eighteen hours. No car will be permitted to finish before 9 o'clock at night, and one hour will be allotted for meals.

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The ovation on the part of the public on the occasion of the start of the run from New York to Paris, instituted by a French and a New York newspaper, when 30,000 people gathered in Times square, New York city, last Wednesday, indicated a surprising interest in automobiling. The day previous there had been a similar demonstration when another car under the name of another newspaper had started on the 20,000-mile journey.

NEW AUTOMOBILE LICENSES

The following additional licenses have been granted by the Massachusetts Highway Commission:

1149—William A. Macleod, 22 Tremlett street, Boston, Stanley touring car.
1150—Arthur H. Young, 85 Griggs road, Brookline, Buick touring car.
1151—Michael F. Madden, Hotel Somerset, Boston, Stevens-Duryea touring car.
1152—Malden Electric Co., 139 Pleasant street, Malden, Cadillac runabout.
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1155—Malden Electric Co., 139 Pleasant street, Malden, Autocar runabout.
1156—Malden & Melrose Gas Light Co., 137 Pleasant street, Malden, Winton touring car.
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1158—Malden & Melrose Gas Light Co., 137 Pleasant street, Malden, Cadillac runabout.
1159—Henry J. Langley, Jr., 878 Highland avenue, Fall River, Ford runabout.
1160—William Lawrence, 122 Commonwealth avenue, Boston, Packard touring car.
1161—Joseph P. Manning, 66 Crawford street, Boston, Matheson touring car.
1162—Henry A. Maley, 17 Southern avenue, Boston, Stanley touring car.
1163—Malden & Melrose Gas Light Co., 137 Pleasant street, Malden, Cadillac runabout.
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1166—Addison L. Green, 272 Lindan street, Holyoke, Elmore touring car.
1167—Simeon S. Greenbaum, 91 Thorndike street, Brookline, Maxwell-Briscoe runabout.
1168—Joseph Gridley, 179 Highland avenue, Somerville, Electric Vehicle Co., touring car.
1169—Moses H. Gulesian, 85 Commonwealth avenue, Newton, Knox touring car.
1170—John C. Halden, 903 Morton street, Boston, Buick touring car.
1171—William M. Hale, Rowley, Thomas touring car.
1172—Fred M. Haley, 34 King street, Lynn, Franklin runabout.
1173—City of Newton, City Hall, West Newton, Stanley runabout (street department).
1174—City of Newton, City Hall, West Newton, Atlas runabout (street department).
1175—R. Linzee Hall, 116 Forest street, Medford, Autocar touring car.
1176—Jean H. Hallett, 78 Hawley street, Northampton, Grout touring car.
1177—Frank W. Hallowell, Suffolk road, Newton, Stevens touring car.
1178—William J. Hammond, 411 Washington street, Boston, Autocar runabout.
1179—Theodore L. Harlow, 142 Central street, Gardner, Maxwell-Briscoe touring car.
1180—Francis B. Harrington, 201 Beacon street, Boston, Pierce touring car.
1181—William F. Harris, 8 Mercer circle, Cambridge, Pope touring car.
1182—George A. Wood, 49 Laurel street, Somerville, Stanley touring car.
1183—John F. Hawkridge, 163 Lawrence street, Malden, Knox touring car.
1184—Samuel E. Hathaway, 274 Prospect street, Fall River, Stevens touring car.
1185—LeBaron Hathaway, Court street, Plymouth, Maxwell-Briscoe touring runabout.
1186—Hubert G. Wilbur, 292 North Main street, Fall River, Stanley runabout.
1187—James C. Cutcheon, 33 Outlook road, Swampscott, Ford runabout.
1188—Francis S. Bryant, 155 Massachusetts avenue, Arlington, Northern surrey.
1189—
1190—Norman F. Greeley, Ober street, Beverly, Stevens touring car.
1191—Harold B. Hayden, State street, Framingham, Premier touring car.
1192—Sarah H. Hayden, Bedford, Pierce touring car.
1193—Edgar O. Hayes, 33 Lawrence street, Cambridge, Dolson touring car.
1194—Thomas R. Healy, 12 Charter street, Newburyport, Thomas Detroit Company runabout.
1195—Harry Hartley, 49 Rawson road, Brookline, Electric Vehicle Company brougham.
1196—Harry Hartley, 49 Rawson road, Brookline, Panhard & Levassor touring car.
1197—James Hartness, Orchard street, Springfield, Vt., Stevens-Duryea touring car.
1198—Alfred T. [illegible]artwell, 96 Suffolk road, Newton, Autocar touring car.
1199—[illegible] [illegible]aich, 59 Highland avenue, Newtonville, Royal touring car.

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Hallet & Davis Upright	$44	Everett Upright	[illegible]
Mason & Hamlin Upright	$49	Haines Bros. Upright	[illegible]
Martin Bros.	$47	Merrill Upright	[illegible]
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DEATH NOTICES

AMES—In New Bedford, Feb. 21, Lucy Howard, widow of Thomas Ames of Bridgewater and daughter of the late B. R. Howard of New Bedford.
Funeral on Monday at 2 p. m. from the First Congregational Church at West Bridgewater. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

BOSWORTH—On Feb. 22, 1908, Clara V., beloved wife of George M. Bosworth, 58 yrs.
Service at Funeral Chapel, 241 West 23d st., Campbell Building, New York City, Monday, at 11 o'clock. Boston and Portland, Me., papers please copy.

BRYANT—In Somerville, Feb. 22, Elizabeth F. Bryant.
Funeral services from the residence of Mrs. Edward Bryant, 11 Madison st., Tuesday, Feb. 25, at 1:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

CASE—On Feb. 22, 1908, at her late residence, 58 West Forty-fourth st., New York city, Caroline Eckert Case, beloved wife of Frank M. Case, Jr. Notice of funeral hereafter.

COOK—In Charlestown, Feb. 22, J. Senard, beloved son of John A. and Lily A. Cook (nee Donahoe), 9 yrs. 11 mos. 28 ds.
Funeral from his grandfather's residence, 115 Bartlett st., Tuesday, Feb. 25, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends kindly invited to attend.

FARRENKOPF—In Jamaica Plain, Feb. 22, Frances, widow of Charles Farrenkopf.
Funeral from the residence of her son, Mr. Theodore Farrenkopf, 296 Centre st., Tuesday, Feb. 25, at 8 a. m. Services at Holy Trinity Church at 9 a. m. Relatives and friends kindly invited.

GIVEN—In Somerville, Feb. 22, Elizabeth R., daughter of John Given, 18 yrs.
Funeral services at her late home, 19 Joseph st., Somerville, Monday, Feb. 24, at 1:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

GOULD—In Quincy, Mass., Feb. 22, Sadie E., widow of Daniel A. Gould, 42 yrs. 9 mos. 20 ds.
Funeral at late home, 31 Revere rd., Monday, Feb. 24, at 3 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

HAWLEY—In Everett, Feb. 21, William H. Hawley, 76 yrs.
Funeral services will be held at the residence of his son, Thomas Hawley, 83 Chester st., Melrose, Mass., Monday, Feb. 24, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

HEARN—In Roxbury, Feb. 22, Dr. Thomas H. Hearn, at his late residence, 19 Alaska st.
Funeral notice later.

LORING—In East Weymouth, Feb. 22, John Loring, 65 yrs. 8 mos. 3 ds.
Funeral Tuesday at 2 p. m. at his late residence, 30 Shawmut st. Relatives and friends invited without further notice.

LEWIS—In this city, Feb. 17, Mary E., widow of James Lewis, 78 yrs.
Interment at Florence, Mass.

LOW—In West Somerville, Feb. 22, Mary J. Graves, widow of Alfred Low.
Funeral services at her late residence, 21 Josephine av., on Tuesday, at 10 a. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Gloucester, Mass., papers please copy. Burial at Rockport, Mass.

PARKS—In Washington, D. C., Feb. 21, Elwell Parks of Brookline, Mass., 86 yrs. 9 mos.
Funeral notice later.

PHELAN—In Roxbury, Feb. 22, Alice R., widow of Matthew Phelan.
Funeral from her late residence, 56 Delle av., Tuesday at 8:30 a. m. Requiem mass at Mission Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited. Prince Edward Island papers please copy.

SCANNELL—In Brooklyn, N. Y., Feb. 22, Catherine, widow of Richard Scannell.
Funeral from Curtis's Chapel, 387 Dudley st. Funeral notice later.

STEVENS—In Newton, Feb. 21, Ethel Christine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert P. Stevens.
Funeral services will be held at her late residence, 26 Emerson st., Monday, Feb. 24, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

STEWART—In this city, Feb. 22, Francis Dexter, son of Katie Stewart.
Funeral services at 433 Columbus av., on Monday, at 2 p. m.

STROM—At Winter Hill, Feb. 23, John W., Jr., beloved son of John W. and Helen F. Strom, 12 yrs. 24 ds.
Funeral from residence, Winter Hill, Tuesday, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

YOUNG—In Somerville, Feb. 22, Charles H. Young.
Funeral services at his late home, 35 Cambria st., Somerville, Monday, Feb. 24, at 3 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment at Orleans, Mass.

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LEGISLATIVE HEARINGS.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 19, 1908. The committee on labor will give a hearing to parties interested in the following: Senate Bill No. 127, on awarding contracts for labor for the State; Senate Bill No. 128, that contracts for State work be based on union labor and union wages, and House Bill No. 676, on hours of labor and the eight-hour day, at Room No. 426, State House, on Tuesday, Feb. 25, 1908, at 10:30 o'clock a. m. A. D. NORCROSS, Chairman; JOSEPH A. PARKS, Clerk of the Committee.

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[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Framingham [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] house, [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] water; shed 10x15, [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] on pond [illegible] [illegible] 30 miles from Boston, [illegible] [illegible] Summer place. [illegible] WALLACE CO., 101 Tremont st.

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SUITES of 4 rooms, $2.50 a week. Apply to JANITOR, 115 East Dedham st.

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FURNITURE.

WE PAY HIGHEST CASH PRICES
For all kinds of second-hand furniture and antiques, old feather beds, etc. Call, write or tel. Camb. 7012. CAMBRIDGE FURNITURE CO., 421 Mass. av., Camb.

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IMPROVED SINGER, perfect order, attachments, $6. 28A Warren st., Roxbury.

$60 SINGER, good as new, for $5, at 36 Warren st., Rox., next to Hunt's lunch room.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Valuable water power within 50 miles of Boston, including buildings. T 690, Boston American.

YACHTS AND BOATS.

SHIP MODELS wanted, full rigged or half models; give full particulars and lowest cash price. N 687, Boston American.

DIAMONDS AND JEWELRY.

$1 DOWN, $1 a week, watches, diamonds, jewelry; open account to-day, we trust you. LENOX JEWELRY CO., 373 Washington st., room 76.

STOVES.

SOFT STOVE LINING, FITS ALL STOVES and ranges; price 35c. 22½ Portland st.

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Something in Him Cries Out

That Is a Good Sign. Twelve Dollars a Week Need Not Interfere

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Here is a really interesting letter from a young reader:

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

Dear Sir: Reading your editorials I thought it advisable to write to you for advice which will be greatly appreciated by the writer:

I am a young man of eighteen cold Winters (years) and live with my parents, who are not able to pay any expenses toward any instruction that I desire to receive. I am employed by a manufacturing cloak and suit house at a salary of $12 per week.

Now, the reason I am writing to you is, as there is a certain movement within my body which makes me studious, and this movement always makes me cry out, "I will be a great statesman in the next few years!"

Mr. Kind Editor, I beg of you to give me your valuable advice how a young man of the United States of America has a chance to become such a man when he only earns $12 per week and who has great ambition to succeed in a high, respectful office of the United States and I repeat again, sir, cries out, "I will be a great statesman!"

Thanking you in advance, I am, respectfully, I. J. G.

Some would smile at our ingenious, earnest young friend. Therefore although he does not request it, we omit the publication of his name in full.

Our reply to the earnest young gentleman is this—we wish we could make it more encouraging:

Eighteen is the age of a baby. It is just the right age for **AMBITION**, but very far from the age of **ACCOMPLISHMENT**.

It is a good thing for you that your parents are **NOT** able to spend their money to flatter your ambition.

It is perfectly possible for an aspiring young would-be statesman to realize his dream while "employed by a manufacturing cloak and suit house at a salary of $12 per week."

The **NECESSITY OF WORKING** will do you good. The best possible way for you to be a great statesman **LATER** is to be a **FIRST-CLASS CLOAK AND SUIT HOUSE EMPLOYE NOW.**

You can be perfectly sure that if you haven't the power to do good work for the cloak and suit house that hires you, you wouldn't have power to do good work for the United States as their great "statesman."

Benjamin Franklin worked for less than twelve dollars a week. He became a great statesman.

Abraham Lincoln at your age wasn't earning a cent. He was glad to do rough work, his "time being owned by another man." He worked a great deal harder than anybody ordinarily works in a cloak and suit house. He was delighted when he made fifty cents a day. His body worked, **HIS MIND WORKED ALSO.**

On your twelve dollars a week, if you have the material in you, you have a much better chance to become a great statesman than you would have if you had twelve dollars an hour.

Thousands of men have succeeded in spite of **POVERTY**. Not one in a thousand has succeeded in spite of wealth.

With all the education that it may give, and all the opportunities, ninety-nine times out of one hundred wealth instils into youth a poison of idleness, egotism, self-esteem, lack of concentration, that destroys all hope.

You may be a great statesman some day—we hope that you will.

And you may never be anything but a good, honest, conscientious worker in a cloak and suit house. But don't get it into your head that if you had had more money you would have displayed more statesmanship. Statesmanship and money are widely separated—don't let the shameful case of an Elihu Root or any other Ryan employe deceive you on that point.

If you want to be a great statesman, read good books, history, especially. But don't read more than your mind can digest, and be sure to **THINK YOUR WAY THROUGH A BOOK**, don't gallop through it.

If you wanted to be physically strong like Jeffries you wouldn't eat **FOURTEEN** beefsteaks, you'd eat only as much as you could digest.

If you want to be a great man mentally, don't try to read fourteen books if you can digest only one.

Remember that you can train your mind to **EXECUTIVE WORK**, to real achievement, to conscientious effort, to **REGULARITY**, much better in a cloak and suit house at $12 a week than you could dancing the cotillon with Elisha Dyer on one side of you, Craig Wadsworth on the other, and sixty silly, simpering debutantes admiring your coat tails behind you.

Study, think, **WORK HONESTLY FOR THE MAN WHO PAYS YOU YOUR SALARY—FOR TWELVE DOLLARS A WEEK IS A GREAT DEAL BETTER THAN NOTHING A WEEK—AND GOOD LUCK TO YOU.**

Bobbie's Essays

By William F. Kirk

WE will vote, sed Ma, befoar another yeer has rolled around.

The blow has fell, sed Pa. For many long years I have dreaded this, Pa sed, & now the worst feers of my life has been reelized. My wife & her lady friends is going to vote.

Who are you going to vote for? sed Pa. Not for Taft, surely, Pa sed, beekaus he is too fat. No suf-fra-get loves a fat man, sed Pa, & surely, he sed, you will not vote for Mister Farobanks, the man behind the cock-tail.

Never mind who we will vote for, sed Ma. It is a grate & noabel movement we are making for the ele-vating of the feemale sex, to bring us & our daughters out of the darkness into the lite, to place a ballot in the hands of us & our littel gurls. Surely that is a grate aim, & surely it is for that we are marching on the streets.

Well, sed Pa, do you suppose a self-respeck-ting suf-fra-get cud march frum heer to the Kichen & get sum food cooked for her husband & her littel son Bobbie?

By no meens, sed Ma. At the speech this afternoon Missus Weles or whatever was her naim sed this to us ladies: Remember, gurls, this is the era of our Freedom. You shall cook not, nether shall you serve food to them wich was once (1) yure Lords & masters, yet you shell be arrayed in the finest garments from the finest Modeests. Rise, wimmen, & show yure rights.

That is a vary pretty line of talk to hand to hoamly wimmen sed Pa, & I bet it went big. But in the meentime, if you will kindly March into the Kichen & fix up them spare-ribs & pota-toes for our evening meel, I shall lissen to moar of yure new ideas.

& if I doant, sed Ma, wat then?

If you doant, sed Pa, you & littel Bobbie can talk it over for the rest of the eevning, & I shall stroll out under the stars & keap strolling till I git whare I shall play a few gaims of bil-yards, maybe five (5) gaims, & after that I shall go to a resterent & give my order for six (6) nice lam chops.

Then I shall go down the street, sed Pa, & talk it from me, he sed, I will show sum speed & cover sum ground. You ladies that call yureselfs suf-fragets may think you can march, Pa sed, but I will maik you all look like enlarged picters in the parlor trying to keep up with moving picters, wich will be me, Pa sed. Now will you cook them spare ribs?

Bobbie must be hungry, sed Ma. Poor littel kid, he does look hungry. I believe I will do the cooking after all, & you must be hungry yureself, sed Ma to Pa. I beleeve I will go & lite the gas range. How wud you like yure spare ribs, luv, sed ma, rare or well done?

Well done, sed Pa & hurry them up.

Then after a little wile we all had dinner & Pa & Ma kissed each other & Ma cried & sed to Pa, Forgive me deer, I doant want to vote, littel Bobbie can vote in my place when he grows up.

Thats the way to talk, sed Pa. Them spare ribs is vary good.

KING KAZOOKS

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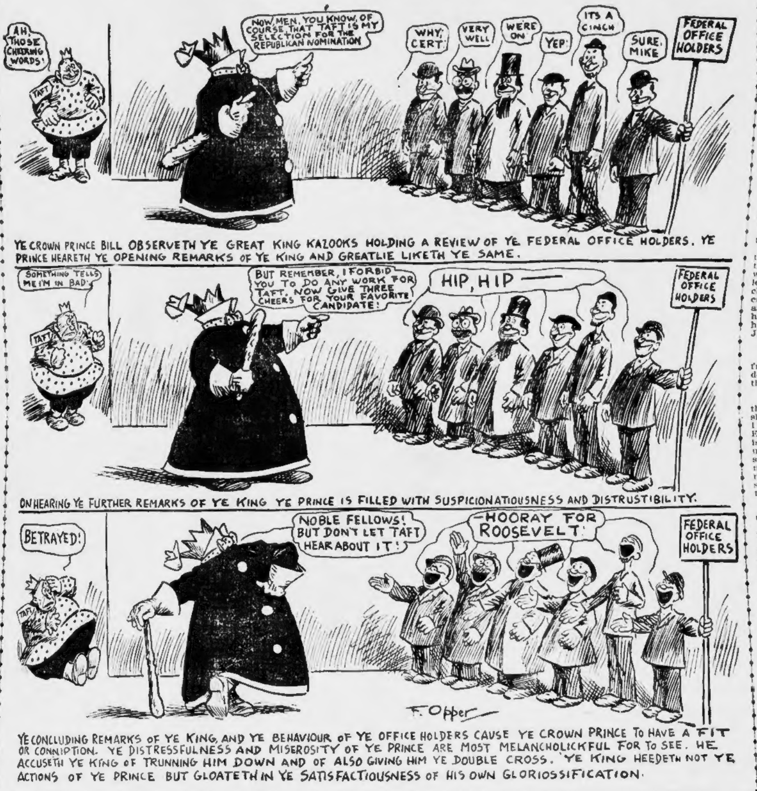
AH, THOSE CHEERING WORDS!
TAFT
NOW, MEN, YOU KNOW, OF COURSE THAT TAFT IS MY SELECTION FOR THE REPUBLICAN NOMINATION
WHY, CERT.
VERY WELL
WE'RE ON
YEP!
ITS A CINCH
SURE, MIKE
FEDERAL OFFICE HOLDERS
SOMETHING TELLS ME I'M IN BAD!
BUT REMEMBER, I FORBID YOU TO DO ANY WORK FOR TAFT. NOW GIVE THREE CHEERS FOR YOUR FAVORITE CANDIDATE!
HIP, HIP —
FEDERAL OFFICE HOLDERS
BETRAYED!
NOBLE FELLOWS! BUT DON'T LET TAFT HEAR ABOUT IT!
—HOORAY FOR ROOSEVELT!
FEDERAL OFFICE HOLDERS
F. Opper

YE CROWN PRINCE BILL OBSERVETH YE GREAT KING KAZOOKS HOLDING A REVIEW OF YE FEDERAL OFFICE HOLDERS. YE PRINCE HEARETH YE OPENING REMARKS OF YE KING AND GREATLIE LIKETH YE SAME.

ON HEARING YE FURTHER REMARKS OF YE KING YE PRINCE IS FILLED WITH SUSPICIONATIOUSNESS AND DISTRUSTIBILITY.

YE CONCLUDING REMARKS OF YE KING, AND YE BEHAVIOUR OF YE OFFICE HOLDERS CAUSE YE CROWN PRINCE TO HAVE A FIT OR CONNIPTION. YE DISTRESSFULNESS AND MISEROSITY OF YE PRINCE ARE MOST MELANCHOLICKFUL FOR TO SEE. HE ACCUSETH YE KING OF TRUNNING HIM DOWN AND OF ALSO GIVING HIM YE DOUBLE CROSS. YE KING HEEDETH NOT YE ACTIONS OF YE PRINCE BUT GLOATETH IN YE SATISFACTIOUSNESS OF HIS OWN GLORIOSSIFICATION.

MY DEAR BOY, I'M BUSTED

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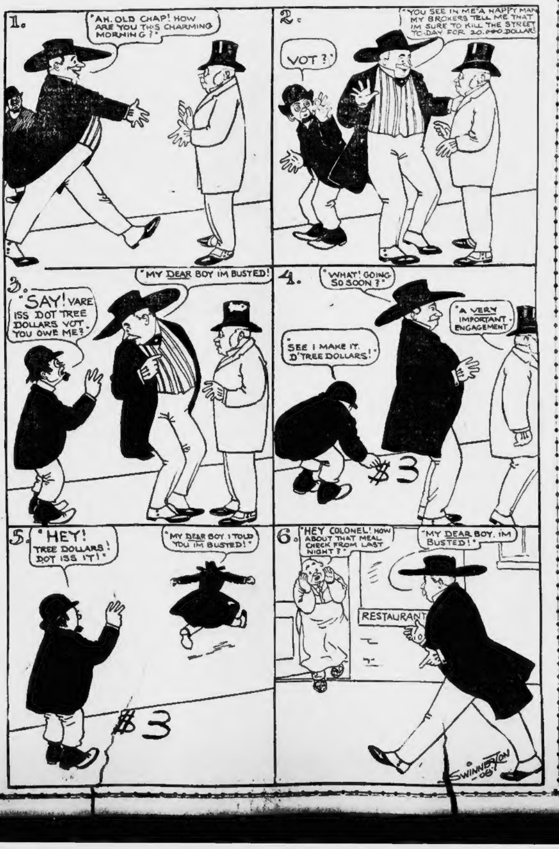
1.
"AH, OLD CHAP! HOW ARE YOU THIS CHARMING MORNING?"
2.
"YOU SEE IN ME A HAPPY MAN MY BROKERS TELL ME THAT IM SURE TO KILL THE STREET TO-DAY FOR 20,000 DOLLARS"
"VOT?"
3.
"SAY! VARE ISS DOT TREE DOLLARS VOT YOU OWE ME?"
"MY DEAR BOY IM BUSTED!"
4.
"WHAT! GOING SO SOON?"
"A VERY IMPORTANT ENGAGEMENT"
"SEE I MAKE IT. D'TREE DOLLARS!"
$3
5.
"HEY! TREE DOLLARS! DOT ISS IT!"
"MY DEAR BOY, I TOLD YOU IM BUSTED!"
$3
6.
"HEY COLONEL! HOW ABOUT THAT MEAL CHECK FROM LAST NIGHT?"
"MY DEAR BOY, IM BUSTED!"
RESTAURANT
SWINNERTON -08

A School for the Coming Ri

By Wex Jones

TEACHER—Now, children, he Bobbie Sparse, an example you all.

Bobbie had no marbles y terday and to-day he has all. He saw you boys playing a ga for keeps, so he grabbed some marb from Rube Hay and got into the ga where he was very lucky. He told Rube was trying to pick up his ma bles out of the ring, so of course I to Rube to stop until he could prove me his marbles were his marbles. Th teaches the great use of the injun tion. Bobbie was thus enabled to w all the marbles, give Rube his ba again and win them fairly.

Bobbie's work couldn't be better, a I am very proud of him.

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TEACHER—Jimmy Jangle, how d you get all those candies?

JIMMY—I decline to be interviewe

TEACHER—Very good, Jimmy. L the public do its own guessing alway I will tell the class. Jimmy offere to keep the other boys' pencils whe they were playing, so that the wouldn't get broken. Then Jimm lent the pencils to Jack Box, who ex changed them for candy and gave th candy to Jimmy. When you boy asked Jimmy for your pencils he sai he lent them to Jack, and Jack sai he had exchanged them for candy, an Jimmy got the candy.

Jimmy is a promising boy.

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TEACHER—If you were returnin from a trip abroad and a lot of vulga detectives and reporters met you a the pier, what would you do, Billy?

BILLY—Squeal.

TEACHER—No, no; you only that where friends are concerned. Yo should say, "I don't understand thi I am being hounded without caus Everything will be explained in a satisfactory manner. The public doesn' understand finance." Or you migh say, "If this action had been deferred my associates and I would have made millions." Or, "The bank is perfectly solvent; we have no money, but notes to burn."

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TEACHER—Why is French calle the "language of finance?"

BILLY—Because financiers sometimes take French leave.

TEACHER—No, no. Because goo financiers, when they're dead ones, g to Paris, and French is quite fre quently heard in Paris.

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TEACHER—What is a trust?

JIMMY—A combination in restrai of trade.

TEACHER—What is a combinatio in restraint of trade?

JIMMY—An active District Attorne and the Grand Jury. Such combin tions are a menace to the prosperit of the country's owners.

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TEACHER—What is a friend?

BOBBIE—A man who'll give you note which you say you won't negot ate.

TEACHER—What do you do wi the note?

BOBBIE—Don't kid us, teacher.

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TEACHER—What is government?

ALL—An infernal nuisance to fina ciers.

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TEACHER—What is the people?

ALL—A foolish necessity.

TEACHER—Very good. Now out and play by the ticker.

Ella Wheeler Wilcox

The Struggle for Just Laws Is as Old as the Human Race, and the Fight Is Still Going On

By Ella Wheeler Wilcox

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EVER since the dawn of civilization history shows how the human race has struggled to establish a just, orderly and wholesome condition of existence, and this struggle has always been marked by an effort to prevent the few from monopolizing the wealth of the world, thus depriving the many of the comforts of life.

Tiberius attempted to check extravagance at banquets in Rome. He forbade gold vessels to be used except for sacred purposes and prohibited the use of silk garments for men. But his law was not as powerful as the desire for display among his people.

Dictator Sulla tried to regulate the expense of entertainments and to forbid extravagant funerals.

Antius Rosio enacted a law that no magistrate should dine abroad except at the houses of a certain chosen few.

He himself never dined out, in order to set a good example, which, however, was not followed.

Augustus, 18 B. C., passed a law imposing penalties on those who remained single after a certain age, and various privileges were given those who had three or more children.

A candidate for public office who had children was preferred to those who had none.

This was a practical effort to combat race suicide.

Fight for Justice

A LAW was enacted in Rome, 215 B. C., that no woman should have above "half an ounce of gold or wear a dress of different colors or ride in a carriage in the city or any town or within a mile of it, unless on account of public sacrifices."

This law was repealed twenty years later.

Laws were also passed which regulated the number of guests at entertainments, the amount of expenditure and even the quantity and quality of the food to be served guests.

The censors to whom was entrusted the discipline of the people punished all those guilty of what was then regarded as extravagant living.

But in spite of this censorship the love of luxury increased, the laws were repealed or ignored, and Rome went on to its fall, as we all know, through extravagance and sensuality.

Long before these laws were passed Licinius, Tribune of the people, who reigned 376 years before Christ, under took to create a just system and to h monize the patricians and plebeians old names for Capital and Labor). established what we known after as the "Licinia," viz.:

(1) One of the Consuls should alw be a plebeian. (2) No one should sess more than 500 acres of land or k more than 500 head of large or sm cattle; that the books of laws should b entrusted to ten men, half of whom should be plebeians, in order that no falsification be introduced in favor of the patricians.

Naturally the patricians violently op posed these just laws, but they were passed and were carried into execution and brought about peace and prosperity for a time.

Then the good laws were repealed o neglected and things went from bad to worse until all of Italy seemed to be on the eve of destruction industrially, be cause of the monopoly of earth's re sources by the patricians.

Two hundred years after the Licinian law was first passed Gracchus I. tried to revive it. He succeeded, but it cost him his life. Like many other great souls, he was made a martyr and mur dered for his unselfishness.

The Same Battle

CENTURIES have rolled away since all these things were done, and still the old battle is going on between man and man.

Still are the few monopolizing the re sources which belong to the many; still are good and unselfish men working to adjust wisely and sanely the difficulties always existing between classes.

Still is the voice of Wisdom raised in warning and still Extravagance with deaf ear speeds on to its ruin.

The world is like a forest, and as fast as one tangled mass of underbrush is cleaned out another shoots forth.

But he who works patiently and lovingly to keep his own patch of groun clean and free from briars and to lend a hand to his neighbor may rest his faith on God's power to bring an ultimat Eden out of the world's forest, wherein shall dwell the reincarnated spirits of those who have lived unselfishly and fought bravely for human freedom, in past ages.

Such men as Licinius, Gracchus I. and Gracchus II. and our own Henry George will surely come back in beautiful forms to enjoy this New Eden for which they labored.

Little Editorials from the People

WANTS PURER AIR IN PUBLIC PLACES

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

Much has been written on the importance of fresh air and plenty of it at all times, and yet I daily find a neglect in this respect almost everywhere I go. The air in our theatres is certainly anything but pure, and from that I was forced to breathe in the balcony of a leading theatre the other day arose such an odor of staleness that I little wondered at a lady two seats from me fainting during the performance. The minute one enters these places and the basements of many of our department stores he is forced to the belief that the air is not changed from one day to the other, nay months. Sometimes I marvel that the clerks in ou stores are not permanent sufferers fro breathing over and over the air that su rounds them during the day.

How can we ever hope to stamp o the "white plague" if those who contro these buildings do not pay more attention to that most important subject o good ventilation. We can live withou food and water for days, but we require air every minute, and yet how little people seem to consider this matter. I ho this will stimulate others to take up t matter seriously.

ONE OF YOUR READERS.

Cambridge.